

Farms, Labor Throne Speech Priorities

Legislation to aid the province's agricultural industries and to improve the climate of labor-management negotiations will highlight government action in the legislature for the fall session which opened today.

The speech from the throne, read in the legislative chamber by Lieutenant-Governor Walter Owen, as usual contains little detail on specifics of what the NDP government intends to do.

At a morning press conference today, Premier Barrett was deliberately vague about legislation to be introduced in

the House, saying it would be "incorrect" of him to give details until the other MLAs have access to the information.

From the throne speech and from Barrett's comments this morning, the following is a list of what to expect this fall:

A package of legislation designed to stabilize farm income, control prices of farm products at the market place, encourage secondary agricultural industries and to provide debt protection for family farms under distress circumstances.

A new "labor code" intended to set up an improved framework of collective bar-

gaining and dispute settlement, incorporating some "completely new" concepts and allowing for the sanctity of individual religious beliefs.

Establishment of full departments of consumer affairs and housing, with ministers without portfolio Phyllis Young and Lorne Nicolson elevated to full cabinet status.

Legislation to provide the province's 32,000 civil servants with collective bargaining rights for the first time will be reintroduced and will include the right to strike.

Mining legislation passed at the spring session will be clarified and fee schedules

and royalty rates will be specified.

A three-day seminar involving internationally-renowned experts in the field of nuclear power will be held in B.C. in order to give the government advice in dealing with future energy needs in the province.

Certain matters which the government had said in the past were priority items will not be dealt with this session, however. Some of them, Barrett said, will be handled in the spring session of 1974.

These include removal of the education tax from property, legislation to allow individuals to sue the provincial

government and measures to require public and elected officials to disclose their financial interests.

A provincial Bill of Rights, described by Barrett in last spring's session as a priority item but never introduced, is "still on the agenda," Barrett said today. He would not be pinned down, however, on the timing of the introduction of a Bill of Rights or of another NDP campaign promise, a provincial ombudsman.

Regarding the labor legislation to be introduced, the government has gone on record as saying amendments to three major acts — Labor Relations Act, Trade Unions Act

and Mediation Services Act — will be introduced.

The speech from the throne, written by Barrett, said:

"Industrial relations is essentially a term descriptive of human relations in the work environment. Healthy co-operative human relations cannot be built on punitive concepts, distrust, or an unyielding bureaucracy, and remain compatible with a free society."

Regarding agriculture, Barrett said in the speech that "positive measures" must be taken by the government to strengthen and expand the food industry, particularly in face of the "very real prob-

lems of world food shortages and rising food costs, coupled with high investment costs and low farm income."

"The significance of the B.C. agriculture and food industry to the ever-changing economy of this province cannot be overlooked, and action must be prompt to ease the problems involved," the speech said.

The legislature's agriculture committee has been conducting hearings all over the province throughout this summer, listening to farmers' problems. The committee's recommendations are expected to play a major role in the legis-

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WEATHER

Tonight: Clear
Friday: Sunny and Warmer

Victoria Times

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VICTORIA, B.C., THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1973

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Big Fire Held

Times News Services

SALMON ARM—A slash fire which burned up to 40 homes and razed more than 20,000 acres of land was brought under control at noon today.

But forestry officials says it will be two or three days before it can be considered completely under control.

More than 200 men remained on the front line along with several dozen pieces of heavy equipment.

In Salmon Arm some of those who lost property expressed bitterness with the forest service for allowing a private company, Federated Co-operatives, a permit for slash burning in the area.

That burning was said to be responsible for the start of what has become the largest forest fire in the province this year (See picture on page 3).

The government declared the region a disaster area Wednesday and took over organization of the fire fighting operations and civil defence work.

An emergency headquarters has been established in the town and is providing food and arranging lodging for homeless.

Their problem should be eased by Friday as the government is sending in mobile homes to be used until permanent quarters can be arranged.

Damage estimates were unavailable, but observers said they could run into the millions of dollars. Many cattle

victims will receive 100 per cent compensation from the provincial disaster fund, Resources Minister Bob Williams promised Wednesday.

"We don't, at this stage, want to argue about liability or responsibility," he said, adding that forest service officials will conduct a detailed investigation "in terms of our being satisfied a proper job was done by everyone concerned."

The blaze began without warning Tuesday afternoon.

It sent out three fingers of flame across ridges in the Fly Hills area about six miles from the town of 2,000. The fires moved so quickly fire-fighters were unable to contain them.

Isamu Ujimoto was one of the lucky ones.

He left his home Tuesday night and the last he saw of it, it was surrounded by a wall of flame.

But when he returned Wednesday he found his home untouched — although trees, his garage and a doghouse just a few feet from the house were destroyed.



WHEN CAN 64 equal 162.56? When height of teacher Jana Roberts is converted from inches to centimetres, that's when. Kevin Cranmer wields the tape as Grade 2 class at Blanshard elementary takes the measure of the metric system. Helping is Leighanne Nelson while Gloria Eng and Nora Caton look on. (Bill Heskett photo.)

Cabinet Named By Chile Junta

Times News Services

SANTIAGO — The Chilean armed forces have formally assumed power on their own terms and today appeared ready to crush the last resistance to their coup which resulted in the death of President Salvador Allende.

However, shortly before noon today, there were reports of an outbreak of machinegun and artillery fire in

the neighborhood of the defence ministry and partially destroyed presidential palace.

It was not immediately known who the combatants were, or what the target was.

Wednesday night, while troops patrolled the capital under orders to shoot resisters on sight, the military junta appointed a new national cabinet.

The cabinet members swore to uphold the principles of the junta and not of the constitution under which Allende ruled during three years of left-wing government.

Gen. Augusto Pinochet Maramba, a 56-year-old artillery officer, is president of the four-man junta. He was appointed commander-in-chief of the army by Allende two weeks before the coup.

The armed forces, who rose against the 65-year-old Marxist president Tuesday, reported Wednesday night that soldiers had been in action in at least 15 centres in the capital.

They met with fierce resistance as they moved in to smash pockets of pro-Allende snipers, and workers were still reported holding out late

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22-Year Record Jump in Costs

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada suffered its largest monthly rise in living costs in more than 22 years in August, a leap of 1.3 per cent (an annual rate of 15.6 per cent). The increase was certain to heighten criticism of Prime Minister Trudeau's proposals to combat inflation.

The August increase was led by a 3.2 per cent boost in food costs, the largest in that category in 13 months.

Statistics Canada, which reported the figures, said the overall 1.3 per cent hike in living costs was the steepest since February, 1951, during the Korean War.

The latest hike pushed living costs up 8.3 per cent above a year earlier, also the steepest annual rise since 1951.

"Sharply increased meat, poultry and egg prices at the beginning of August were major contributors to the considerably larger than usual rise in the latest month's index, but all other main elements, except fresh produce, also moved up," Statistics Canada said.

Pork prices alone rose 15.4 per cent for the month, it added.

In addition to the sharp food price hikes there were increases of 1.5 per cent for transportation, eight-tenths of one per cent for health and personal care, five-tenths of one per cent for housing and one tenth for clothing. Only recreation costs were unchanged.

The overall rise pushed the consumer index up to 153.0 from 151.0 in July, meaning that typical living costs priced at \$151 per week in July cost \$2 more in August and \$11.30 more than a year earlier.

GROCERIES UP

Grocery prices, biggest factor in current inflation, were up 16.2 per cent over the year.

There have been indications that some food prices have moderated since the period of the government's August price survey.

The past year's 8.3 per cent rise in overall living costs is the sharpest since the 10.6 per cent recorded in 1951.

Since then, the worst inflationary years in Canada have been a 4.8-per-cent rise in 1972, 4.5 per cent in 1969 and 4.1 per cent in 1968.

"Led by a one-month rise of 15.4 per cent in the retail price of pork, the meat, fish and poultry index climbed 7.9 per cent between July and August and stood 28.3 per cent above its level of 12 months earlier," Statistics Canada said.

"Beef prices advanced 5.3 per cent in the latest month and 26.5 per cent since August, 1972," it added.

"Poultry prices likewise climbed 7.6 per cent between July and August and nearly 40 per cent over the year," the report said.

"Canned salmon and tuna quotations were about six per cent higher in the latest month, registering increases of 15 per cent and 31 per cent

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ISRAELIS CLAIM 13 ARAB JETS

TEL AVIV (Reuter) — Israeli and Syrian jets fought a major air battle over the Mediterranean today and Israel said 13 Syrian MIG-21 fighter planes had been shot down with one Israeli plane hit.

An Israeli army spokesman said the dogfight occurred at noon, and that the pilot of the Israeli plane hit was recovered from the sea after parachuting.

Syria, however, through diplomats in Beirut said only two of their fighters were downed.

Observers in Tel Aviv said if the first reports of the battle were true, it would be the biggest air conflict in the region since the 1967 Middle East war.

Bank Money Drying Up

By AL FORREST
Times Staff

Funds for development are beginning to dry up in Victoria despite another round of interest rate increases designed to attract money to lending firms.

Some banks have almost gone out of the mortgage business because cash supplies are just about depleted in that field.

Large commercial borrowers are being asked to limit their requests and speculative ventures are being told there is no money available.

The tightening money supply comes at a time of continuing increases in interest rates.

On Monday four major banks will increase their prime lending rate to 9 per cent from 8.25 per cent and the other banks are expected to do the same.

The Bank of Canada today raised its lending rate to the banks to 7.5 per cent from 7 per cent.

The mortgage interest rate, currently 10 per cent to 10.25 per cent, is likely to rise to 10.5 to 10.75 per cent before the end of October.

There is a growing feeling

interest rates may be nearing their peak.

In an effort to attract funds, banks and trust companies are raising their deposit rates effective today. In some cases the increases are retroactive to Sept. 1.

Some banks have increased 30 day deposit rates to 6.75 per cent from 6.25 per cent. The rate had been 5.75 per cent in July.

The search for short-term funds has created some anomalies in the deposit interest rates.

Several trust companies are offering 8.75 per cent interest for funds on deposit between three and six months and are paying only 8.5 per cent for full-year deposits.

Trust companies say they have an adequate supply of funds for mortgages but are restricting commercial loans.

Both banks and trust companies report the demand for loans is high despite the interest rates, which are at record levels.

Previous high rate for prime loans, going to 9 per cent on Monday, was 8.5 per cent during the tight money period in 1969-70.

Loans of up to \$200,000 for small businessmen, a special category created by Parliament, will rise one-quarter to 8 - 8.5 per cent.

FARQUHAR RESIGNS

University of Victoria president Hugh Farquhar announced today his intention to resign.

He told a meeting of faculty and administration the "board of governors is proceeding with the establishment of a committee to bring in nominations for president."

He took over the presidency of the university three years ago.

He said the university is on the threshold of the most exciting growth and development in history.

NEWS BRIEFS

Hashish Haul

—1,708 Pounds

MONTREAL (CP) — Three men were charged Wednesday with importing narcotics after RCMP made the biggest single hashish seizure in Canadian history — 1,708 pounds.

Bomb in Chelsea

LONDON (UPI) — A bomb blast ripped through a building housing three British servicemen's associations in London's Chelsea district Wednesday night, shattering windows and injuring five policemen.

U.S. Tax Hike Eyed

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Nixon is considering asking Congress for a temporary tax increase of up to 10 per cent — refundable later — as a tool to fight U.S. inflation.

Britain in Red

LONDON (AP) — Britain suffered a loss of \$476.4 million in its trade with the rest of the world in August the government announced today.

Air Embargo

TORONTO (CP) — Air Canada has announced a 24-hour embargo on air freight to all Canadian destinations from Toronto effective midnight Wednesday night to enable the airline to clear a backlog of freight diverted to it during the rail strike.

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Drive-In Claims on Douglas

By BRIAN BUTTERS
Times Staff

The government-owned Insurance Corporation of B.C. is purchasing a three-acre block of land on Douglas Street to use as a drive-in claim centre and as office quarters for some of the corporation's Island-based staff.

The site is the Victoria headquarters of Johnston Terminals Ltd. and runs for one block between the Canadian National Railway tracks and Douglas Street, bordered on the south by Kelvin and on the north by Ardsters.

The firm is building a new

warehouse on a larger piece of land immediately adjacent, across the CNR tracks.

Johnston's Victoria manager, Charles Ruttan, said the land sale is not yet absolutely final but is in "the very last stages."

ICBC general manager Norman Bortnick said today in an interview from Vancouver that he could not give a figure for the cost of the purchase because the sale has not yet been finalized.

He said the structure to be built on the Johnston's site will be a standard building which could cost anywhere

from \$500,000 upwards. It will service the entire Greater Victoria area, with the nearest other claim centre to be located in Nanaimo.

The drive-in claim centre to be constructed on the Johnston's land will be one of 41 to be put up by the corporation in various centres throughout the province.

Government appraisers working at the claim centre will estimate the cost of repairs of damaged vehicles brought in by owners, and government adjusters will settle the claim with the owner. The insured driver will then

leave the claim centre with a written authorization for repairs at a body shop.

At a May 29 press conference, Transport Minister Robert Strachan, the minister responsible for government car insurance, said the process of filling and claim with the insurance corporation will ordinarily take less than an hour, instead of the "several days" Strachan described as the waiting period under the private industry insurance system.

The government car insurance scheme comes into effect

INSURANCE CHOICE DEMANDED BY UBCM

PRINCE GEORGE (CP) — Delegates to the annual Union of B.C. Municipalities convention here unanimously passed a resolution calling on the government to allow competitive bidding for general, fire and liability insurance (See also Page 27).

Under the Insurance Corporation of B.C. Act municipalities, corporations and boards that get government grants or government guaranteed loans must apply to the ICBC for insurance.

The motion put by the UBCM's executive said public bodies and industry have found it cheaper to buy insurance on a "sealed bid tender basis."

Bethune Birthplace Purchased

GRAVENHURST, Ont. (CP) — The Gravenhurst birthplace of the late Dr. Norman Bethune, a Canadian surgeon honored by the Chinese, has been sold to the federal government for a museum in a tentative agreement with Trinity United Church, a church official said Wednesday.

Gerald Simmons, member of the church board, said the \$60,000 purchase agreement, achieved after two years of negotiating with the government, will be ratified at an Oct. 1 meeting of the Muskoka Presbytery.

The 10-room frame house has been owned by the Trinity United Church board since 1925 and now serves as a manse for Rev. John Houston and his five children. The \$60,000 will build a new four-bedroom manse for the Houstons when they move from the Bethune home next spring.

The birthplace of Dr. Bethune, a national folk hero to the Chinese after his death in 1939 while serving in Chairman Mao Tse-tung's Eighth Route Army, has been visited in recent years by numerous Chinese delegations.

However, on June 25 this year, a group of 30 Chinese journalists were barred from the house because "it was getting embarrassing for Rev. Houston and his family," Mr. Simmons said.

IS POPULAR ATTRACTION
He estimated more than 100 persons from China had toured the home prior to the refusal to admit delegations.

Mr. Simmons said the house will be turned into a museum and memorial by the government, displaying pictures painted by the surgeon and medical instruments he invented.

A commemorative plaque, erected by the Ontario government in 1972 on Rev. Houston's suggestion, now stands on the lawn in front of the home.

Mr. Simmons said prolonged negotiations over the sale was due to slowness on the part of the federal government "to recognize Dr. Bethune as a great Canadian humanitarian."

He predicted thousands of Chinese visitors will tour the house once it is opened as a museum because "the birthplace of a Chinese hero is important in their culture."

BIOGRAPHY IN PROCESS
He said a history professor at the University of Toronto, Rod Stewart, is writing a detailed documentary of Bethune's life in China. Prof. Stewart travelled to China to collect his material to be published this year, he added.



Protesters outside Chilean embassy in Buenos Aires

Santiago Settling

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Wednesday at a factory stronghold.

No official death toll has been issued, but the Chilean ambassador in Mexico said several thousand people have died since air force jets and tanks began to bombard the presidential palace Tuesday.

The military formally announced last night that Allende shot himself through the head minutes before troops burst into his blazing palace.

Allende, who told his supporters hours before the end he would give up his life rather than surrender, was buried here Wednesday. His widow and children have been granted political asylum in the Mexican embassy.

Meanwhile, Latin American leaders, stunned by the coup, have accused the United States of complicity. Argentine leader Gen. Juan Peron said he is convinced the U.S. was involved.

In Washington, state department officials admitted prior knowledge of the coup but denied any part in it.

Mexico, Venezuela and the Dominican Republic have declared three days of mourning for Allende, considered Latin America's greatest hope for peaceful socialist revolution.

Chilean troops and police have arrested nearly 1,000 people since the coup and warrants are out for former government leaders and ministers.

Life in the capital is at a total standstill under a round-the-clock curfew, a Reuters re-

porter, Paul Doque, wrote in a news dispatch.

"I have been holed up in the Reuters office for two days now, waiting for the bullets to stop flying."

"Our building shuddered and swayed from the reverberations of the explosions," Doque reported.

"We have to move crouching in the darkness and look out from the blinds in order not to offer a target to a sniper or soldier."

"Buildings throughout the centre are badly damaged and palls of smoke rose from the presidential palace until Wednesday morning," he said.

The military announced that the curfew would be lifted today and that normal business activity would resume.

The leaders of the crippling road-haulage strike, which began July 27 and heralded the final act of the Allende tragedy, went on the air to tell their men to go back to work.

Leon Villarín, president of the Truck Owners Confederation, which controls most of the country's transport system, said it is "a time of triumph and joy" for those "democratic Chileans" who supported the strike wave.

But in Mendoza, across the border in Argentina, journalists received telephoned reports from Santiago that Chile's Roman Catholic primate, Cardinal Silva Henríquez, has expressed concern about the military takeover.

"The church cannot accept outrages and abuses against people and their dignity," the cardinal is reported to have said.

The new cabinet, announced Wednesday night, appeared to be made up entirely of military men, underlining the junta's determination to take absolute control of Chile.

The press has been muzzled and Congress told to stay in recess.

The new ministers were sworn in at a ceremony headed by the new president.

Pinochet rules the junta together with the navy commander, Admiral Jose Merino; the air force commander, Gen. Gustavo Leigh; and the carabinieri police chief, Gen. Cesar Mendoza. Rear-Admiral Ismael Huerta was appointed foreign minister and the key defence ministry was given to another navy man, vice-Admiral Carbajal Prieto.

... FOOD

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respectively since a year earlier," it said.

Eggs posted their sharpest price rise in five months, an increase of 13.4 per cent.

"In contrast, the fresh fruit index levelled off in August and fresh vegetable prices, which normally declined at this time of year, averaged nearly eight per cent lower than a month earlier though they were still 37 per cent higher than in August, 1972," Statistics Canada said.

"A cereal and bakery products index rise of 1.4 per cent in the latest month was largely attributable to a 1.8 per cent increase in bread prices by early August, before the major impact at the retail level of higher wheat prices," it said.

Dairy products rose five-tenths of one per cent, it added, with all components rising except butter.

SNACKS JUMP

"Other notable price increases between July and August included a general rise in prepared and partially prepared dishes and snacks which, like meals consumed away from home, accelerated their advance in response to higher ingredient costs," the report said.

Meals away-from home rose 2.7 per cent in August and were 15.8 per cent above a year earlier.

The 3.2 per cent rise in over-all grocery prices was the largest since a 4.1 per cent hike in July, 1972, Statistics Canada said.

Let the Voters Decide—Tories

OTTAWA (CP) — Conservative Leader Robert Stanfield called today for an election so the people can decide on the validity of policies designed to curb inflation.

Commenting on the latest Statistics Canada figures showing an increase in the cost-of-living index, Stanfield said at a news conference:

"I'm not a tiger for an election as such but I'm determined to get this government out of office because the government is wrecking things to run wild by simply improvising policies for the sake of holding power."

"Now let the people decide this question."

David Lewis, New Democratic Party leader, said in a statement high corporate profits and needless price increases are partly to blame for the sharp rise in the consumer price index.

Lewis listed seven companies in the food industry whose profits have risen sharply this year and said similar examples can be found in "a number of other fields."

The NDP leader renewed his call for a stronger food prices review board, one that could impose price ceilings when necessary.

Government measures announced earlier—increased family allowances and pensions—should be implemented as quickly as possible, he said.

Stanfield said the New Democratic Party and the minority Liberal government are perpetrating a "parliamentary ripoff." They had rejected Conservative proposals to contain inflation and it was time to "let the people decide for themselves."

He said the Conservatives moved a want-of-confidence motion in the Commons Monday

because government policies failed to contain inflation.

He had assumed that if the motion had passed there would be an election. The motion was defeated 102 to 129 with the NDP and Social Credit voting with the government.

Stanfield said the NDP always found some excuse to support the government.

Stanfield reiterated the Conservatives would not agree to adjournment of Parliament. The party would be in the Commons Monday fighting for new policies.

He said the latest figures show that the concern he expressed a year ago about the growth of an inflation psychology was justified.

TOLMIE HIT AGAIN

The fourth series of brush fires in eight days broke out Wednesday afternoon on Mount Tolmie.

Like the previous 12 fires, they are believed to have been set deliberately.

Saanich firemen contained the fires so no extensive damage was done, but the four series of fires have ruined about 12 acres of parkland in Saanich and Oak Bay and tied up firemen for hours.

Both police and fire departments are investigating, but no arrests have been made.

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the weather

A cooling trend is now in evidence over B.C. following the passage eastwards of a disturbance which is now crossing the prairies. Yesterday mainly sunny skies developed along the coast by early afternoon while in the interior some cloudiness and isolated rain showers were reported in the Kootenays and at a number of points along the continental divide. Today and Friday will be sunny across most of the province except for a few cloudy periods over the central and southern interior and along the continental divide.

DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE
10 A.M. FORECASTS
Valid Until Midnight Friday

Greater Victoria: Sunny, highs today of 65 to 70. Lows tonight 45 to 50. Highs Friday near 70.

North and West Vancouver Island: Today and Friday, sunny. Highs today in the upper sixties. Lows tonight around 45. Highs Friday 65 to 70.

Greater Vancouver and Lower Mainland and East Vancouver Island: Today and Friday sunny. Highs today 65 to 70. Lows tonight 45 to 50. Highs Friday around 70.

TEMPERATURES YESTERDAY
Max. Min. Precip.
Victoria 66 50
Normal 66 50

ONE YEAR AGO

Victoria 69 51

ACROSS THE CONTINENT

St. John's	72	57
Halifax	68	49
Montreal	64	44
Ottawa	63	44
Toronto	69	38
North Bay	36	39
Churchill	42	36
The Pas	48	40
Dawson City	63	30
Inuvik	62	39
Alert	39	9
Resolute Bay	28	26
Thunder Bay	60	33
Kenora	60	48
Winnipeg	68	55
Brandon	71	49
Regina	74	38
Saskatoon	68	37
P. Albert	56	38
N. Battleford	62	35
S. Current	66	34
Medicine Ht.	65	38
Lethbridge	67	40
Calgary	59	35
Edmonton	58	34
Penticton	78	52
Cranbrook	75	49
Castlegar	79	52
Vancouver	65	49
N. Westminster	69	52
P. Rupert	66	40
P. George	55	30
Mackenzie	51	30
Nanaimo	71	—
Kamloops	73	54
Revelstoke	75	58
Blue River	69	46
Fort Nelson	54	35
P. River	49	35
Whitehorse	62	36
Fort. St. John	47	28

World Temperatures: Rome
81, 39; Paris 72, 65; London
80, 55; Berlin 57, 45; Amster-

dam 57, 50; Brussels 66, 50; Madrid 82, 55; Moscow 54, 41; Stockholm 52, 43; Tokyo 73, 68.

U.S. Temperatures: Chicago 73, 60; Seattle 65, 52; Spokane 80, 49; Portland 77, 54; San Francisco 65, 53; Los Angeles 72, 63.

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD

Sunshine Sept. 111.6 hrs.
Last Sept. 94.2 hrs.
Normal (30 years) 96.3 hrs.
Sunshine, 1973 1,937.2 hrs.
Last Year 1,770.2 hrs.
Normal (30 years) 1,797.5 hrs.
Precipitation, Sept. .05 ins.
Last Sept. .42 ins.
Normal (30 years) .31 ins.
Precipitation, 1973 6.65 ins.
Last Year 19.5 ins.
Normal (30 years) 13.77 ins.

Sunrise, Sunset Friday
(Pacific Daylight Time)
Sunrise 00:00 Sunset 00:00

TIDES AT VICTORIA HARBOR

(Tides listed are Pacific Standard Time)

Time Ht.	Time Ht.	Time Ht.	Time Ht.	Time Ht.	Time Ht.
H.M.	F.H.M.	F.H.M.	F.H.M.	F.H.M.	F.H.M.
13 02.50	7.20	05 4.0	13.55	7.21	45.6
14 04.00	7.10	40 4.0	13.55	7.12	25.7
15 04.55	6.10	15 5.2	16.15	8.0	23.5
16 05.55	4.7	10.30	6.1	16.40	6.2
17 06.05	2.0	09.30	6.1	17.30	6.7
18 01.00	1.8	10.40	7.2	17.40	7.3
19 02.05	1.7	11.40	7.4	18.40	7.4
20 03.10	1.7	12.30	7.5	19.30	7.5

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR

(Tides listed are Pacific Standard Time)

Time Ht.	Time Ht.	Time Ht.	Time Ht.	Time Ht.	Time Ht.
H.M.	F.H.M.	F.H.M.	F.H.M.	F.H.M.	F.H.M.
13 05.05	9.10	55 5.2	17.25	10.2	23.30
14 06.15	8.1	11.25	5.9	17.35	10.4
15 06.10	3.6	07.00	9.6	17.25	10.2
16 06.45	3.1	08.05	9.4	17.45	7.5
17 07.35	2.6	09.25	9.7	18.40	8.3
18 07.25	2.1	10.40	9.8	19.30	10.3
19 08.25	2.2	12.05	10.0	19.15	9.2
20 04.30	2.3	13.20	10.3	19.00	9.1

Charred Cattle Ranch

Ruined, the charred remains are all farmer Bob Jackson has left after a fire raced through 20,000 acres of timber and destroyed 20 homes in Salmon Arm. Jackson saved his cattle but will be forced to sell them as there is no feed or pasture.



RAIL CHARGES DROPPED

VANCOUVER (CP) — The federal justice department withdrew Wednesday charges against six Vancouver-area railway workers who had been charged with violating Parliament's back-to-work order.

The charges had been laid under Section 115 of the Criminal Code. It was alleged the men committed an offence by contravening the Maintenance of Railway Operations Act, passed by the special session of Parliament to require railway workers to work.

Justice department lawyer Norman Mullins said he made

the decision to drop the charges following a two-hour meeting with the union's legal counsel.

"I received a good deal of information about the defences they were preparing and am convinced we couldn't prove the charges," he said.

Processing of the charges was halted when the railway workers in British Columbia reported to work Monday night.

The 600 men at the joint council of railway unions meeting Monday said they would return under work-to-rule conditions, but would walk off in unison if "so much as a 10-cent fine" was levied against the six men.

Scared To Death By Bombs

LONDON (UPI) — A coroner's jury ruled today a 54-year-old BBC messenger committed suicide because he was terrified of carrying a letter bomb from the Irish Republican Army.

Thomas Eddington was a messenger at the British Broadcasting Corp. whose job it was to sort incoming mail. Three weeks ago when extremists began mailing letter bombs to targets in London, Washington and Paris, Eddington was frightened to death.

He took a day off, "sick and shaky," his wife Jane told the inquest. "He watched the television news and kept calling me over and saying, 'there's another one'."

At the end of the long weekend, Eddington's daughter testified, Eddington couldn't face it. He went into the bathroom and cut his throat. The daughter found him.

"As I went with him into the ambulance," she testified, "the last words he said were: 'Letter bombs. Letter bombs.'"

Beef Stolen

FREDERICK, Md. (AP) — A tractor-trailer truck loaded with 37,000 pounds of beef worth about \$45,000 was stolen from a truck stop Tuesday, police said. They said the driver of the truck was sleeping inside the truck stop when the vehicle was taken.

\$300 FINE FOLLOWS FATAL BOAT MISHAP

A man was fined \$300 in Ganges provincial court Wednesday after he was convicted of operating a boat dangerously.

Fred J. Stern, 23, of Ganges was charged after an incident April 20 in which Gregory Lust of Ganges, fell out of a boat and drowned. His body was never recovered.

Stern was the operator of a 12-foot boat carrying seven people and supplies when the mishap occurred off North Secretary Island.

... Farm Boost

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lative action taken by the government.

Barrett said the session just started will be a "full, working session" but would give no estimate of length. Eight weeks is the required length, however, in order for MLAs to qualify for their full \$12,000 indemnities.

The premier said the legislative list stands at somewhere around 80 or 90 separate bills. A record number of 94 bills passed through the house in the spring session this year.

The nuclear power seminar was described by Barrett as being the first in a series of public discussions on matters of importance to the province as a whole.

He said there is "no way" the NDP government wants to see important decisions made "in a vacuum," which he said was the case with the Social Credit administration, particularly with respect to the go-ahead on construction of the Roberts Bank superport.

Barrett said he himself is opposed to the use of nuclear power as an energy source but that he wants to take the problem "directly to the people." The participants in the seminar will include an equal number of opponents and proponents of the use of nuclear power, he said.

All parties in the legislature will be invited to meet the seminar participants, Barrett said. Costs of the seminar will

be borne entirely by the government.

The premier said there will be a considerable number of administrative changes made to existing pieces of legislation. These will include the Municipal Act and the Public Schools Act, he said, as well as pension legislation to provide improved benefits for widows of superannuants.

Barrett said the legislature's standing committees will have some matters referred to them for study this session and that certain committees may be meeting after this session ends.

Expected at various times during this session are the reports of standing committees

on matters referred to them during this spring's session.

Of the mining legislation to be introduced this session, Barrett said the mining industry has had "100 years of running its own show."

He said such specimens as "dinosaur fossils" are not confined to the province's coal beds and lava pits, but may also be found in the head offices of the province's mining companies.

Barrett said the legislation will be intended to clear up any questions the industry has raised about day-to-day operations under the guidelines established by the government during the spring session.

BID TO AVERT BCR STRIKE

VANCOUVER (CP) — The United Transportation Union negotiating committee began meeting with British Columbia Railway officials at 10 a.m. today in a final effort to avert a strike against the railway set for 8 p.m.

The union, representing 450 operating trainmen in two locals, is seeking an increase in their mileage rates to 20 miles an hour from 12.5 miles.

This would boost their guaranteed hourly rate to \$4.81 from \$4.01 an hour.

The committee set the strike deadline Wednesday after rejecting the proposed establishment of a one-man industrial inquiry commission to probe wage parity with rail workers at B.C. Hydro.

Four shopcraft unions at BCR Tuesday accepted a government-appointed commis-

sion, plus an interim 10-percent wage increase.

The same offer was made to the UTU.

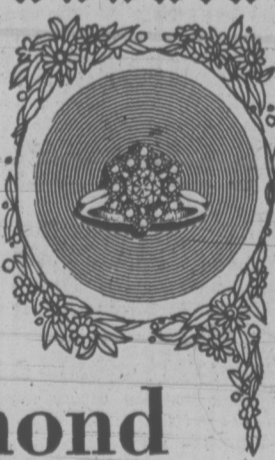
However, committee chairman, Albert Beckman, said the inquiry is "a little bit too late for us" and the negotiating committee is only interested in talking wages now.

"Because of the mileage rates, we're in a lot worse position than the shopcraft unions," he said.

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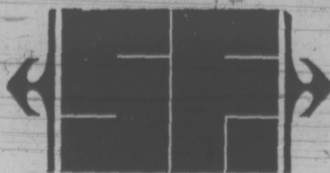
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Let's Not Waste It

The idea of building a parking facility on the recently evacuated Ocean Cement site in the Inner Harbor is reported to be merely a tentative suggestion. Let us hope it becomes no more than that. It is difficult to follow the thinking of any aldermen who can believe that such a program will find favor among the people. The proposal, indeed, has more the appearance of a double-cross than a rational plan.

The Ocean Cement site was purchased for a price of nearly \$1 million after many months of negotiation and effort. Of this sum, the federal government paid 50 per cent, the province and the city 25 per cent each. The public expectation was that the site would be made into a park, with a

marina and perhaps some other feature for public pleasure to be added. Now, with the money spent, is a poor time to be trying to switch the purpose of the expenditure.

The idea of a parking building on this site, no matter how inconspicuous it might be made, is fundamentally faulty in any case. To use it, cars would have to be driven through the city by one route or another before being left beside the harbor waters. Obviously, no automobile traffic would be approaching from the sea frontage. After removal from parking, the cars would again have to be driven through the city.

Since the trend downtown now is to create pedestrian malls and other "people places," as well as to relieve the streets of vehicular congestion as much as possible, the

idea of making drivers travel needlessly through those streets is of course fallacious. Parking facilities obviously should be created on the landward edge of the central core so that cars could be left in them while the driver and passengers penetrated the central area on foot. To create a parking facility that increased the core traffic instead of diminishing it would be contrary to all reason.

Therefore, the suggestion to use the expensive Ocean Cement site, even in part, for an automobile park, should be quickly abandoned. City Council surely cannot have arrived at a point where ingenuity and planning ability can come up with no better proposal for a costly and unique water-side location that cries for an extraordinary and imaginative effort.



... you read the speech fine ... but why didn't you use any of the snappy one-liners I wrote in ...?

Back to Square One in Chile

It is ironic that the first democratically elected Marxist government has been toppled by a military junta. Usually the Marxists are trying to topple the military. But there is little to cheer about in the armed ousting of Chilean President Salvador Allende's administration. Chile is one of a handful of Latin American countries that has a history of stable, relatively democratic government. Duly held democratic elections have been a fixture since 1931.

Dr. Allende's regime was not

"communist" in the sense of Eastern European or Soviet communism. It was Marxist in theory and handicapped in practice, due mainly to opposition terrorist tactics and militant businessmen. Land reforms, controlled inflation and continued enjoyment of democracy were among the promises of the Allende regime.

But the government, beset by assassinations, nation-wide strikes and a loss of international credit, never achieved its aims. In the face of the tumultuous political situa-

tion Dr. Allende muzzled the press and government troops fired on demonstrators.

Nor was the Allende regime's overthrow solely the result of a 47-day strike by nearly 50,000 transport owners that brought sympathy for the strikers from businessmen and blue collar workers. While Allende's inability to deal with the strike may have been the excuse for revolt, the cards were stacked against the government from the beginning.

Large American companies admitted having offered to finance opposition projects. And Dr. Allende himself is on record as saying that if his government fell the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency would surely have a hand in it. That might be chalked up to desperate political rhetoric except that the United States has a notorious reputation for meddling in South American politics not to their liking.

Dr. Allende appeared on the world stage as a dedicated patriot who was very naive about politics. Now the military command holds the reigns of power. It has imposed strict censorship, declared martial law and established a curfew. The republic of Chile is back to square one.

No Luau's on \$200 Per Month

To an elderly person sitting in a lonely room wondering if he or she can afford a bit of chuck steak on the weekend, Premier Barrett's advice that pensioners should spend at least some of their savings on holidays must be as bitter as a cup of well boiled tea. What savings, they might ask, as they examine the price raises detailed elsewhere in their daily paper each day.

Relax, says Mr. Barrett, adding that he would like to see pensioners in Hawaii instead of only rich people. That's a fine idea. It takes slightly less than \$200 to fly to Ha-

waii, or just about one month's income for a pensioner. And after the pensioner arrives what will he eat? Well, they grow a lot of pineapple in Hawaii.

Still, it is especially galling that a man who makes more than \$50,000 annually would tell people — some of whom exist on little more than \$3,000 per year — to relax and enjoy life. Mr. Barrett has often expressed concern about the elderly and the NDP administration has acted on its promises. But gee whiz, Dave, on \$200 a month it's tough getting to Haney, let alone Hawaii.

GEORGE OAKE

Storm in the Orchards

The crop has been picked and the leaves are beginning to turn in the Okanagan but the debate over fruit marketing procedures is still blowing.

And the 3,200 growers are casting anxious eyes towards Victoria and the current legislative session at which Agriculture Minister David Stupich is expected to introduce major changes in provincial agricultural policies.

All summer the provincial select standing committee on agriculture has been bombarded by briefs and delegations from the British Columbia Fruit Growers Association and the dissident United-Allied Fruit Growers.

The dissidents claim they are not receiving the cost of production under current marketing procedures and would like to see a broader marketing spectrum.

Despite publicity garnered through fruit convoys and back-of-the-truck sales in Vancouver's Gastown, the renegades have not convinced the government it should scrap the present system.

Incentive Subsidies

Incentive subsidies, perhaps in the form of a quality bonus, and financial help in amalgamating the interior's 23 packing houses, are about as far as the government is prepared to go at this point.

Even the grower-owned co-operative, B.C. Tree Fruits, the sole marketing agency for the province's fruit, has suggested farmers' markets in Vancouver and Victoria, providing the government would find the cash for the facilities.

But these patchy measures will not appease the dissidents who view anything less than a complete marketing board restructuring as sour apples.

"The Okanagan tree fruit industry is going bankrupt," says UFG President Hans Rhenisch, who lays the blame on the marketing board's doorstep.

He describes the UFG as "an intellectual producer group that wants to market fruit the consumer can afford."

As the dissidents see it, the worm in the apple is this: the tree fruit board sells through only a few major wholesalers who in turn control most of the retail market.

The wholesalers — most of whom are controlled by American interests — drive a tough bargain, so tough, according to the UFG, that growers are not getting back their costs of production.

And it all filters down to the consumer, Mr. Rhenisch says. It costs 30 cents to produce a pound of cherries, ac-

with the wholesalers, there is no special deal for special buyers," says B.C. Tree Fruit General Manager Ian Greenwood. "They pay the same price as the little grocer."

He also says that B.C. Tree fruits marketing costs are 4.4 cents on the sale dollar which is "pretty cheap" compared with other North American fruit marketing boards.

"B.C. Tree Fruits can't sell to 60 separate Vancouver Safeway stores and corner grocers," says Mr. Greenwood.

In his opinion this would result in the wholesalers saying, why should we deal with you when you're in direct competition with us?

Lurking just across the 49th parallel is the huge early-maturing Washington state fruit crop, five times larger than the B.C. crop, and an enticing plum for the wholesalers.

World-Wide Sales

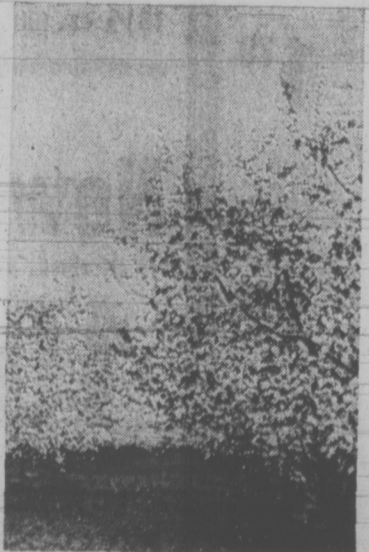
B.C. Tree Fruits points out that they moved 7,000 tons of peaches throughout Western Canada in three weeks this year. Ten per cent of the B.C. crop is sold in 27 countries around the world.

The co-operative deals with 250 buyers across Canada and 40 in this province.

"We're in a very strong bargaining position this way," says Mr. Greenwood.

Each side in the dispute has figures that appear to back their respective positions. But the fact still remains that somewhere between 200 and 300 growers, representing about 25 per cent of the valley tonnage, are unhappy with the present marketing board to the point of breaking the law to publicize their plight.

To date the government has listened politely to both sides, but it has not made its own investigation. Only a thorough sifting of facts and figures by an independent body will resolve the issue. Without such an investigation the dispute will probably ripen along with next year's fruit crop.



A Matter of Markets

According to the UFG, and when the marketing board adds as much as 10 cents per pound for middleman costs the consumer ends up paying as much as 69 to 79 cents per pound at the corner stores.

If a broader-based marketing commission could be set up to grant licenses to any number of different agencies everybody would be better off says the UFG.

But the commission has defenders. "As to the charge that we are in bed

Tallyho

We are residents of Greater Victoria and as such are very interested in the downtown area of our city.

In our opinion, the Causeway, with its lovely surroundings, should not be used as a parking lot for those ugly buses and tallyhos. My husband and I are not alone in wishing we had the power to remove these eyesores to a side street. The tourists would seek them out, the operators would not suffer financially.

If the attraction is worthwhile and given the priceless "word of mouth" advertising, the public will patronize the service.

Our city and surroundings are known far and wide for their beauty but if this "pollution" persists, we will gradually lose our charm. — Mrs. A. G. Slocumb, 1564 Oakcrest Dr.

Appreciated

Those of us who waited all night at Sidney on Tuesday, August 23, very much appreciated the efforts of the people who tried to make us more comfortable.

The RCMP were most helpful in keeping us informed of the situation and, besides answering our questions, were very reassuring.

Some local residents served refreshments to the long line of cars.

The Civil Defence group offered us blankets as we prepared to nap in our cars as the line crept slowly into the waiting area.

Such efforts as these people made to help others undergoing even a minor adversity bespeak a high level of hospitality and human kindness. Thank you very much. — Henry S. Germond IV, Lake Oswego, Oregon.

Centre of Arts

I have been reading much lately re a suitable auditorium for Victoria. I would just like to say a word about this subject. My wife and I were through the Jubilee Auditorium in Edmonton a couple of years ago and it is a magnificent building and quite suitable for the size of the city. However we were in Regina this summer (our old home town) and made a point of going to see the Regina Centre of Arts. I just wish the city council and the people of Victoria could see this building. It is truly a magnificent building and would be most suitable for the city of Victoria. I just hope some time in the very near future a building like the Centre of Arts can be built in Victoria, and not use any old "Royal Theatre." — E. M.

Paging Parkinson

According to news items which have appeared in the Times over the past several months, Mr. Barrett has likely completed the appointments of the deputy ministers.

At the same time announcements were made that the deputy ministers inherited from the Bennett regime had been demoted. They became associate deputy ministers with an increase of \$6,000 in their yearly salary. We now have double the number of persons actually required — all at high salaries. Here is an example of Parkinson's Law at its best.

So far all that has been accomplished is that a few persons who were in well paid positions are now on the government payroll at much higher salaries.

It would seem that we have now reached the point where Mr. Barrett could consider a further application of Parkinson's Law. It could be that what I have in mind would prove more useful to the province as a whole than the appointments already made. It is now time for Mr. Barrett to consider the appointment of persons to act as associates of the associate deputy ministers. These appointments should come from the ranks of the unemployed. The salary should be \$20,000 per year in order to maintain the proper progression between the three levels.

It will be obvious that the lower down

the ladder you go the closer you get to the working level. This would mean that the associates of the associate deputies would have a 50-50 chance of earning their keep.

It is realized, of course, that if the Parkinson theory is applied consistently over a long period you would eventually double the civil service. This could be a blessing in disguise. There would be almost no one on welfare and no one capable of working would be without a job.

In order to get the ball rolling I'd be glad to offer my services as an associate of an associate deputy minister. I have the necessary qualifications although this may not be relevant. However, I am unemployed, being a retired federal civil servant. I have considerable knowledge of the inner workings of government departments. The B.C. civil service pension scheme need not be a stumbling block. I would be glad to waive all rights to a B.C. pension should I survive long enough to earn one. I have no solid political convictions and could lean in any direction.

I am quite sure there are many retired persons, or perhaps persons under pension age who are simply unemployed, who would be willing to accept employment on these terms. — C. McCreath, 6925 Central Saanich Rd.

On Review

I would like to take this opportunity to extend my hearty congratulations to all the members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police on their Centennial this year.

The Centennial Review was really wonderful. A vote of thanks should go to Superintendent W. Branwell Smith, members of the choir, the band, all members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Musical Ride, and everyone who made the whole Review a wonderful success.

The finale was most impressive and really stirred the emotions and made everyone who saw the Review proud to be Canadians. All Canadians should take pride in the fine history of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

A special vote of thanks should go to everyone connected with bringing the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Centennial Review to the Memorial Arena in Victoria. — Miss Joan H. Bailey, 1172 Oxford Street.

Fishing Rights

I should like to comment on the article by my old friend Arthur Mayse (Bill to me): "But how does one measure perfection?"

He states that an Englishman, recently out from the U.K., asked him if he was permitted to cast a Devon minnow into the sea in search of fish. Although I am of Southern Irish origin I was brought up in the U.K. and the suggestion that one could not do this in Britain is just so much nonsense. No one is permitted to own sea-frontage in Britain and so there are not and never have been any restrictions on fishing in the sea, and, of course, all have access to the water-frontage.

I agree with Bill that our rivers are all open to the public as long as one has a licence. However Bill must be forgetting the "no trespass" signs one is finding more and more on the Cowichan and other rivers which prohibit access to the rivers without permission from the owners of the land and in many cases this is not granted. There are, of course, still many stretches of the Cowichan where one can fish without trespassing but more and more property is being sold on the banks of the river and "no trespass" signs are spreading like wildfire. So although our fishing on rivers and the sea is subject only to the holding of a licence it is not quite correct to say that one can fish anywhere on our rivers or water-frontage — unless one fishes from a boat.

My experience has been that although some U.K. waters are private more and more waters are handled by associations which sell daily, weekly or seasonal tick-

ets and stock the streams annually. For the sake of facts I thought I should clarify the impression which Bill's article created in my mind if not in the minds of many others. — M. P. B. Wrixon, 1680 Poplar Ave.

Alcoholic Influence

It has been reported by the media that some zealous citizens phoned CBC to protest a beer advertisement which flashed on our screens during the football game played on Labor Day between the defending Grey Cup champions Hamilton Ticats and the B.C. Lions.

I would call this protest a much ado about nothing or a tempest in a teapot. Well, are we not daily exposed to liquor advertising in the printed press? Isn't drinking "glamorized" on almost all television programs?

Isn't it true that the premier of this province was shown on TV drinking beer at a Williams Lake function and that he is in favor of friendly neighborhood pubs with "live" entertainment — certainly not the Victoria Symphony, but most likely some scanty-clad girl or the type provided on ferries before the strike?

It is an open contradiction of the true facts that, on one hand, we have "detoxification" centres, fines, licence suspensions for impaired drivers while, on the other hand, advertising of beer and liquor is almost encouraged in many, direct and indirect ways.

I haven't taken any "abstainer" oath and I don't know how beer parlors or liquor stores look, because I never entered any. But occasionally, I have seen intoxicated people staggering in the streets; if they could see themselves in a full-length mirror they wouldn't really feel very proud. It is only very sad to see these people gradually destroying their bodies and minds.

One thing I know: if a "pub" or a liquor store were opened in the immediate neighborhood, it will take me less than five minutes to pick up the phone and call the movers. — E. J. Lattes, No. 1110-450 Simcoe St.

Incompatible

As a hiker who uses the trails in East Sooke Park 12 months of the year, I am most alarmed to find hunting to be allowed in the Park. It seems so opposite to make excellent hiking trails and at the same time allow hunters to shoot where the hikers hike.

If it is true, as a wildlife official is reported to have said, that the Capital Regional Board can control hunting by passing a bylaw, then by all means that bylaw should be passed now.

If a ban on hunting in East Sooke Park requires enactment by the provincial Legislature, then we most urgently would wish the Legislature to pass a no hunting law for the Park.

Getting a ban on hunting in East Sooke Park by whatever means necessary is the urgency. For hiking and hunting just do not mix at all. — Katherine B. Suttill, 5065 Lockhaven Drive.

60 YEARS AGO

From the Times of September 13, 1913

LOS ANGELES — The tango rag has claimed its first victim. Mrs. Raymond Terry, a society woman of Oakland, is suffering from a fractured hip caused by a fall while tangoing at the Hotel Virginia, Long Beach. According to the doctors it will be more than a month before she can dance again. "My fall was not caused by tight skirts," said Mrs. Terry. "I was accidentally tripped. I shall not give up dancing or 'ragging' however. The doctors say I will be all right in three or four weeks and I look forward to dancing again."

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Separatist Author Asks:

Who Had Most to Gain From the FLQ Crisis?

By ROBERT MCKENZIE
Toronto Star

Like the 1963 assassination of John F. Kennedy, Canada's terrorist crisis of 1970, during which Quebec labor minister Pierre Laporte was kidnapped and murdered, is becoming clouded in a whole series of "conspiracy theories."

By far the most celebrated of these theories, because of the personality of the man who has expressed it and his perseverance in attacking the official version of the 1970 crisis, is that put forward by Dr. Jacques Ferron, the eminent Quebec author.

Ferron, a general practitioner who in 1963 won the Governor-General's Award for Literature, is convinced the entire 1970 crisis was engineered by double agents working for the federal government and U.S. intelligence agencies.

Ferron, a man of the left with long-standing separatist sympathies, personally knew several of the leading actors in the 1970 drama, including Paul Rose, who has since been convicted of Laporte's murder. Ferron was called in as a "mediator" when Laporte's kidnappers were finally cornered by police in a tunnel under a farmhouse at St. Luc, Que., on Dec. 28, 1970.

If little attention was paid to Ferron's theory, until the recent re-examination of the 1970 crisis, it is probably because it appeared so outlandish and also because of his reputation as a humorist and literary prankster.

"When the police or the government has given its interpretation of an affair like the October crisis," Ferron wrote recently, "the individual who casts doubt on that version is immediately accused of being a paranoiac. The individual may even feel paranoiac himself due to the meagre means at his disposal to fight against the public authorities."

The basic assumption in Ferron's thinking about the crisis is that the Quebec independence movement had nothing to gain and everything to lose from a terrorist uprising in October, 1970.

In April, 1970, he points out, the Parti Quebecois had taken 23 per cent of the vote in the provincial election, and the road to power via democratic means appeared open. Terrorist tactics, such as the kidnapping of Laporte and British trade commissioner James R. Cross, could only alienate the moderates the Parti Quebecois was trying to win over and turn the population against the idea of independence.

Strings Pulled

Who then had something to gain from such a crisis?

Ferron has two candidates: (1) the federal government; (2) U.S. intelligence services.

From publicly known facts, personal knowledge, intuition and, in some cases, sheer flights of the imagination, he draws the outline of a scenario in which Ottawa and the U.S., not necessarily entirely aware of each other's actions, pulled the strings behind the October crisis.

Why Ottawa? Ferron's answer corresponds to widespread thinking today in Quebec separatist circles and even among non-separatists. He believes a deliberate decision was taken to create a bogus terrorist crisis in order to introduce the War Measures Act and crush dissent in Quebec.

A key element in Ferron's argument is a copyright report by George Bain which appeared on page one of the Globe and Mail on Dec. 23, 1971, but received almost no subsequent publicity.

Bain, who is now editorial page editor of The Star, reported from Ottawa that five months before the kidnappings of James Cross and Pierre Laporte, the federal government had set up an interdepartmental committee to consider, among other things, "steps to be taken in the event the War Measures Act comes into force by reason of insurrection."

Quoting unpublished cabinet documents, Bain said a decision was taken on May 7, 1970, at the recommendation of the cabinet Committee on Priorities and Planning which, two days before, had discussed what the Department of Justice called "a preliminary analysis of circumstances in which demands for social change might be accompanied by criminal behavior, with or without violence."

May 5, of course, was just one week after the April 29, preliminary agreement to carry out a detailed study on Quebec was reached on April 14, 1965, The Star reported.

A few days after the appearance of the Star report, Dr. William Lybrand, deputy director of SORO in Washington, claimed the Quebec part of the study had been squashed by U.S. Army authorities. Lybrand said the purpose of Camelot was to study "the dynamics of revolution" and Quebec had been suggested as part of the study "because it appeared to provide an example of an area in which social protest was present but unlikely to escalate to the point of large-scale violence."

In an interview with the Star, and in his newspaper columns, Ferron named one man whom he suspects of having acted as a "financier" of the 1970 kidnappings and agent provocateur for the "Ottawa committee."

He says he has information that the man raised between \$300,000 and \$500,000 by the fraudulent use of credit cards — for which he has never been prosecuted — and the money was used to prepare the 1970 kidnappings (living expenses, rental of apartments and houses, purchase of cars, etc.).

Ferron says he received a visit during the summer of 1970 from the man's brother-in-law, accompanied by Suzanne Lanctot, who is now living in Cuba with her husband Jacques Lanctot and other members of the "cell" who kidnapped Cross.

The brother-in-law wanted Ferron to agree to be a clandestine doctor for the FLQ in an uprising which they were preparing and also look after Mrs. Lanctot, who was pregnant, Ferron recalled. He refused.

Ferron says he is convinced Lanctot, the son of Gerard Lanctot, a leading figure in Andre Arcand's Canadian Nazi movement, the National Unity party, is a "double agent."

Lanctot Jr., who has a history of involvement in the Quebec terrorist movement dating back 10 years, was granted bail in obscure circumstances in February, 1970, after being accused of possession of a sawed-off shotgun. Police claimed it was only after he jumped bail that they discovered he was involved in a plot to kidnap the Israeli consul-general in Montreal, Moshe Golan.

Ferron also points a finger of suspicion at two other members of the "Liberation Cell" who were granted safe conduct to Cuba by the federal government after Cross was released in December, 1970.

They are Yves Langlois, alias Pierre Seguin, who is the nephew of two Quebec judges, and Jacques Cossette-Trudel, who Ferron says is the son of a senior official in the external affairs department.

Langlois, who has been identified in the House of Commons by Social Credit MP Rene Matte as a possible RCMP agent, played a leading organization role in the two kidnappings.

Langlois was granted safe conduct to Cuba with the other members of the "Liberation Cell" but it is not certain that he is still there. Quebec journalists visiting Cuba recently have met all members of the group except Langlois.

Ferron says Mrs. Lanctot stayed for part of the summer of 1970 with Paul Rose at the Armstrong St. house where Laporte was later held hostage.

"The Armstrong St. house had been spotted long before by the experts of the Ottawa committee and they must have known, on the evening of

his kidnapping, that Laporte was there," says Ferron.

Although supposedly being sought by police, Ferron says Lanctot frequently showed up during the summer of 1970 at the Casa Espagnole, a Montreal club frequented by radicals and police informers.

On June 21, 1970, Lanctot's brother, Francois, was arrested and charged in an alleged plot to kidnap the U.S. consul-general in Montreal, Harrison Burgess.

The FLQ communiques seized in both planned kidnappings of the U.S. and Israeli consuls were almost identical, word for word, to that used in the Cross kidnapping. The key diplomats even stayed on adjoining streets in Montreal, raising questions about the lack of police surveillance of Cross' home.

Another strange figure in Ferron's gallery of personalities from October, 1970, is the "barbecue man" who made deliveries to the Armstrong St. house while Laporte was captive.

Ferron says the barbecue delivery man, who has testified for the crown in the FLQ trials, is the cousin of a former member of the Montreal police anti-terrorist squad. He said the delivery man quit the job after the October crisis and has since behaved in a manner which suggests he is a police informer.

Then there is the question of the Rose family's trip to Texas at the time of the October crisis and the mysterious phone calls apparently made to Houston, Texas, earlier in 1970 by other FLQ sympathizers.

At the coroner's inquest into Laporte's death, Nov. 24, 1970, crown prosecutor Jean-Guy Boillard questioned Richard Therrien, an FLQ sympathizer, about calls which had been made to the number 782-4400 in Houston from a small religious hospital in Montreal where Therrien had been working at the time.

Therrien denied that he or his sister Colette had made the calls — on July 16 (costing \$23.40), July 25 (\$21.30) and Aug. 18 (\$10.00) — but Ferron says the hospital authorities told him later they could not imagine who else could have used the phone.

Business Link

The number corresponds to that of the Hudson Engineering Co. of Houston, a firm of consulting engineers who had offices in Montreal on Dorchester Blvd. from April to October, 1970, and are still installed in suburban Duvernay.

Ferron advances the theory that the firm has been used by the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency as a channel for certain activities in Quebec.

At the coroner's inquest prosecutor Boillard asked in a semi-jocular tone: "They (the Rose family) certainly didn't go to Houston to meet members of the CIA or the FBI, did they?"

Other FLQ sympathizers testified they made trips to the U.S. to "raise funds."

On Sept. 23, 1971, an envelope was slipped under the door of the Montreal Star's bureau in Washington containing a photograph of what purported to be a "top secret" CIA document.

The document, dated Oct. 20, 1970, read as follows: "GPO 4237, encoded 16 Oct. 70. Subject Quebec. Sources advised that urgent action be taken to temporarily break contact with the FLQ militants since the Canadian government's measures may have undesirable consequences. Section officer rated and approved." It was initialed R.D.

U.S. authorities labelled the document a hoax at the time. Ferron says the question marks hanging over the October crisis are so numerous that only a royal commission of enquiry could clear the air.



Quebec students demonstrate: was it planned in Ottawa or Washington?

Peron Worries Argentine Press

By JAMES NEILSON

BUENOS AIRES — Argentine journalists have always listened with scepticism to government statements in favor of press freedom. But the caretaker Peronist government of Paul Lastiri has stunned them with a decree forbidding foreign news agencies to distribute Argentine domestic news inside Argentina. The decree, which was not debated in congress, was totally unexpected and was far more drastic than even the most pessimistic had feared.

Two American news agencies, United Press International and Associated Press, are the only nationwide news-gathering services now operating. A large number of provincial newspapers which cannot afford to blanket the country with correspondents are utterly dependent on them for a full coverage of Argentine affairs. The decree, when it takes effect, will throw them into the arms of the government "news agency" Telam, which restricts itself to distributing official communiques.

In the past, Telam tried to find subscribers by holding out the bait of lavish government advertising, which it also controls. Although this would have made a big difference to many struggling newspapers, the double-edged offer has always been refused.

The fact that the decree was issued just one month before the general elections has not passed unnoticed. Although the foreign news agencies have not been told when they must disband their local networks, the order has already forced Argentine newsmen to watch their step for fear of provoking new, more drastic measures. The Argentine press traditionally re-

treates into self-censorship whenever it feels threatened. This attitude has kept the press functioning, but has also resulted in what most foreign observers regard as an excessive, almost bootlicking, subservience to whoever might be in power.

The presidential decree clamping down on the operations of foreign news agencies contained two other strongly nationalistic clauses. One ordered the press to give at least half its available space to Argentine news, and then to give Latin American events precedence over news from the rest of the world. These proportions reflect the present news balance in Argentine newspapers.

If the provincial press were reduced to using Telam, however, many editors would be tempted to turn to foreign news rather than publish acres of official Peronist propaganda.

The second additional

clause was less important, merely serving as an irritant. In it the government prohibited the use of foreign words in news or feature articles. A large number of English and French words such as "establishment" or "elite" have become part of the contemporary Spanish vocabulary, and English words are strongly entrenched in science and technology. Indeed, even the strongly Peronist La Opinion was moved to object to this particular clause, saying it would cause great difficulties whenever technical subjects are discussed. The Spanish-speaking countries, never at the forefront of scientific or technological progress, have failed to develop their own vocabulary in these fields.

Argentine editors are now uneasily wondering whether the decree is the opening move in a systematic campaign to make them even more docile than they are at present, or is merely the re-

sult of government pique at some of the less reverent items distributed by the two U.S. agencies. Their unease is compounded because the decree follows some discouraging straws in the wind.

The press secretary of Dr. Hector Campora, Lastiri's predecessor, once gave Argentine editors and television channel chiefs a severe wiggling for being "too friendly" towards the Marxist urban guerrilla movements. That talk resulted in the disappearance of guerrilla proclamations from the press and a notable decrease in the number of interviews with terrorists. At the time of the announcement of Campora's retirement to make way for elections an Uruguayan radio station was jammed by a government agency — nobody is sure who ordered it — for the first time in Argentine history.

A foretaste of possible things to come has been provided by the experience of the Bahia Blanca newspaper, La Nueva Provincia, one of the oldest and most respected in the country. For months it has been engaged in a running battle with local Peronist party bosses. As a result it has been deprived of official advertising, a severe blow.

Argentine newsmen, apart from hard-line Peronists, are uncomfortably remembering the last Peronist administration's shocking treatment of the press between 1946 and 1955. Peron's assault on press freedom reached a peak when his men engineered the expropriation of Latin America's leading daily, La Prensa, which was handed over to the trade unions after a labor dispute. Although La Prensa was later returned to its original owner it never recovered its former stature.

Washington Post

The London Observer

'SHIRTLESS ONES' NO OPERA BUFFS

BUENOS AIRES — Now that the Peronists are back in power, Argentines may have to make do with opera that is just very good instead of great.

This country has never fit comfortably under the label "underdeveloped," and the sophistication of its cultural life is one indication why. Buenos Aires' Colon theatre is ranked by many critics as among the finest in the world.

The departing military gov-

ernment left one of its more visible legacies in rejuvenating the theatre — long the only important opera house outside Europe and the United States.

But La Boheme doesn't have much of a constituency among "the shirtless ones," the organized laborers who are the backbone of former president Juan D. Peron's triumphal movement.

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WAFFLERS READY SPLIT

By NED POWERS
Globe and Mail

SASKATOON — Unless Saskatchewan's New Democratic Party government does a radical about-face on many of its policies, the provincial Waffle wing will likely be breaking away during the party's annual convention in October.

John Richards, NDP member for Saskatoon University and the only declared Waffler among the MLAs, said the NDP had not lived up to assumptions that it could be reformed and has not issued clear directives to maintain Socialist principles. He has accused the federal NDP and the provincial governments in Saskatchewan and Manitoba of becoming the new Liberal party.

The Waffle party headed

by Don Mitchell of Moose Jaw, has drawn some firm lines on how governments should be reacting to some of today's problems and John Warnock, a senior member of the Wafflers, has released a 32-page booklet, written by himself, and entitled A Socialist Alternative for Canada.

Mr. Richards believes today's food and consumer crisis is a typical illustration of where the NDP is falling down.

He said the Wafflers believe the food industry should be nationalized, although some of the steps can be taken logi-

cally on a provincial basis. They would favor establishment of food markets, most directly with the farmer, and they would integrate ownership so the middleman would be phased out.

"Strangely enough," said Mr. Richards, "the Progressive Conservative government of Alberta has been the most radical in suggesting solutions like a direct farmer's market. The NDP in Saskatchewan has failed to explore any options and hasn't done any educational work on the possibilities."

The Wafflers claim today's

NDP governments have lost all initiatives in dealing with food, energy and other major issues.

They don't quote numbers and they don't have immediate objectives to be a majority party. Ideally, a position as a strong minority within the NDP would have been the ticket. Deputy Premier Roy Romanow of Saskatchewan won't guess at the strength, either, regrets talk about a pull-out, and hopes everything can be ironed out.

The strength of government stands on issues holds the key and the Wafflers don't appear willing to settle for anything less than a democratic trade union movement, which would be dedicated to ending foreign domination and exploitation of Canada.



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HUSSEIN TIES RENEWED

BEIRUT (WP) — Egypt and Syria appeared Wednesday to have established their firmest political control yet over the volatile Palestinian guerrilla movement as presidents Anwar Sadat and Hafez al-Assad ended their joint meetings with Jordan's King Hussein without encountering any significant criticism from the Palestinians or their radical Arab supporters.

Hussein, branded as a traitor by the Palestinians after his army crushed the guerrillas in 1970 and 1971, returned to Amman Wednesday after his dramatic three-day visit to Cairo. Assad flew to Damascus.

The meeting accomplished at last a formal reconciliation of the three countries. Cairo's authoritative newspaper Al-Ahram reported Wednesday that Egypt and Syria had decided to renew diplomatic ties with Hussein's government.

The most significant question at this point is whether Sadat and Assad have been able to bring about any reconciliation between the king and at least part of the Palestinian movement.

The general silence of the Palestinians and their most vocal supporters, Libya and Iraq, is seen by Middle East analysts as being the product of two chief factors:

—Pressure and inducements by Sadat, who is said to be offering the Palestinian leadership the chance to switch its headquarters from Beirut to Cairo, and by Saudi Arabia's King Faisal, who is one of the resistance movement's main bankrollers and an important new ally of Sadat's.

—Deepening division within the guerrilla movement, highlighted by a now open bid for leadership within the movement by the Syrian-controlled Sa'iq group. The present dominant group, Fatah, is headed over-all by guerrilla chief Yasser Arafat.

Hussein gave no signs of having gone to Cairo to compromise. One member of his high-level delegation, which included Jordan's prime minister, was Mohammed Rasoul al-Kaylani, head of Jordan's internal security and intelligence.

Kaylani is viewed as a virulent hardliner, on the Palestinian question, and is thought to have been in Cairo to give his Egyptian counterparts the Jordanian anti-guerrilla case as much as he was there to oversee the massive security arrangements that surrounded the king's visit.

Pompidou Sets 'Minute Record' With Mao



Mao, Pompidou shown at their afternoon meeting

Special to The Times

PEKING — French President Georges Pompidou and Chairman Mao Tse-tung had what was described as "an extended exchange of views" on world problems when they met Wednesday at the chairman's secluded villa by a lake near the centre of Peking.

French spokesmen gave no details of the 105-minute discussion, other than saying it covered both current and evolving problems. Further elaboration awaits the press conference Pompidou is scheduled to hold in the Chinese capital Friday.

The French president was whisked off to the Mao meeting in mid-afternoon, breaking off his first session of formal talks with Premier Chou En-lai. The premier accompanied him to the chairman's residence and sat in.

The only other French representative present at the meeting was Jean de Lipkowski, the secretary of state for foreign affairs, known in Canada as the man Prime Minister Trudeau asked to leave the country after a controversial meeting with a French-speaking group in Manitoba four years ago.

By coincidence, Trudeau is almost certain to be Mao's next foreign guest. The prime minister is due here on Oct. 10, and is expected to have the customary meeting with the 79-year-old Chinese leader.

The visit of Pompidou is being closely watched by Ca-

nadian diplomats for pointers as to the reception Trudeau can expect on his six-day trip.

As both are principals of the western alliance, it is assumed there will be a rough equality in the handling they receive.

One comparison that is bound to be made is the length of each leader's meeting with Mao, hitherto considered a strong indication of the favor which the guest's government enjoys with the Chinese leaders.

The air was heavy with such comparisons last night as French journalists covering the Pompidou visit set their man's meeting against those the chairman had with President Nixon in 1972 and with Nixon's foreign policy adviser Henry Kissinger earlier this year.

The newsmen jubilantly reported the French president had outstripped Nixon's 60 minutes and Kissinger's 90 by a wide margin, establishing a new mark.

If it seems petty to crow over a difference of 15 minutes, it is not: A meeting with Mao is the crowning event of every government's leader's visit to Peking and China.

watchers everywhere — the French not least among them — consider the length of each meeting as definitive.

A point of interest in the Pompidou meeting was that for the first time in several years the top three men in the Chinese leadership all attended. In addition to Mao and Chou was Wang Hung-wen,

the young Shanghai leader who was elevated to the third spot in the hierarchy by the recent party congress.

In the customary exchange of gifts Mao gave Pompidou a sample of his calligraphy in the form of a poem.

Pompidou responded by giving Mao and Chou each a modern French carpet.

U.S. Firm Agrees to Talks Over Acklands Takeover

By PAUL JACKSON

Times Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA — The United States businessmen who have made a \$76 million bid for Winnipeg-based Acklands Ltd. are to meet Industry and Trade Minister Alastair Gillespie to discuss the proposed takeover.

Manpower Minister Robert Andras, acting for Gillespie who is in Japan, said officials of Genuine Parts Ltd. of Atlanta, Georgia, have contacted the federal government and told Ottawa they are prepared to meet government officials.

Andras, replying to questions raised by Ed Broadbent, the New Democratic Party's foreign takeovers critic, told the Commons Wednesday Genuine Parts officials have assured the federal government that if the takeover goes through Acklands operations in Winnipeg will not be phased out or changed in any detrimental way.

The manpower minister, who faced a number of heated questions from Broadbent, refused to become agitated about the matter.

Andras said as far as he

was aware he has not received any communication from the Manitoba government regarding the proposed takeover.

Andras also said he couldn't give "any unequivocal" commitment to halt the proposed takeover since the government's foreign takeovers legislation bill is still not law.

"I am, however, encouraged, as I think Broadbent will be, to note that the principals are voluntarily submitting their detailed proposals and are prepared to consult and, I hope, be influenced by the latter," said the cabinet minister.

Until the report of the proposed takeover was revealed, Acklands, an automobile and industrial parts distributor and wholesaler, had been trading at around \$12 a share. Tuesday the shares shot up \$5 to \$17. Genuine Parts has offered around \$22 a share.

Postal Thefts

VANCOUVER (CP) — The post office is investigating a series of thefts in which more than 20 mail boxes were tipped over and their contents stolen.

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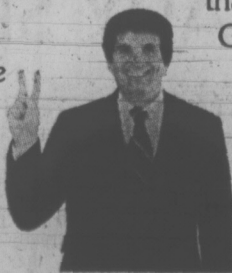
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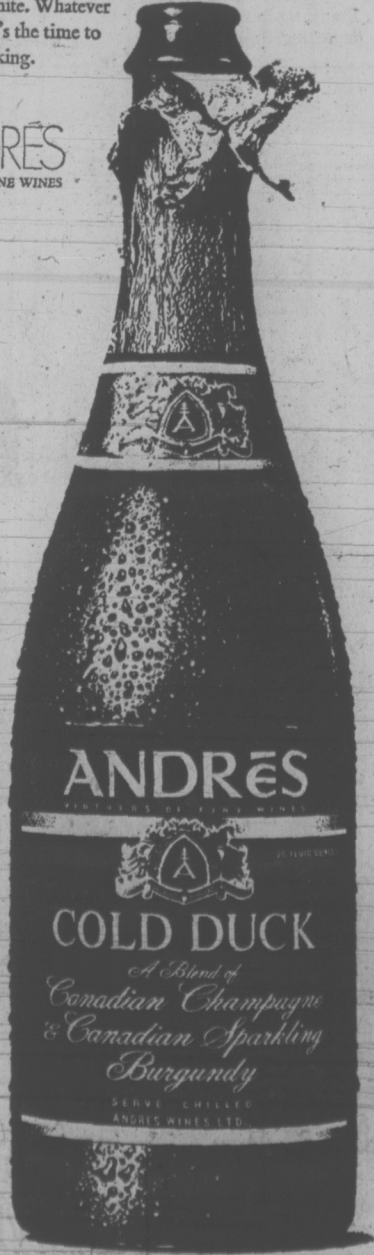
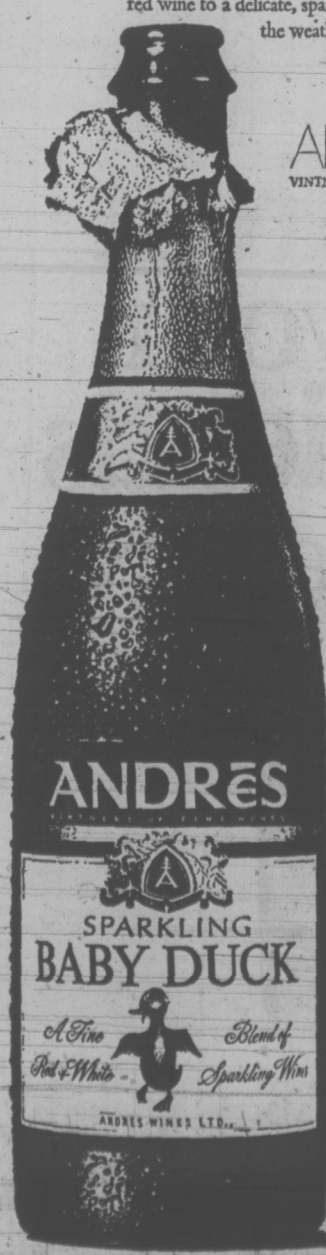
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Victorian Days To Get Bigger

Victorian Days Society became a separate entity Wednesday night and broadcaster John Ansell is its first president.

The society had been a committee of the Greater Victoria Chamber of Commerce.

Ansell said the aim of the new organization is to make the annual May festival as big an event as the Calgary Stampede.

Talks will be held with organizers of the Oak Bay Tea Party and Esquimalt Buccaneer Days to get those celebrations scheduled during the week between Victoria Day and Swiftsure.

"This festival is something we really need and it could become very, very big."

The meeting at the Century Inn elected a board of directors consisting of 12 persons including Ansell.

The directors will elect additional members of the executive committee before week's end.

The executive committee will consist of Ansell plus a first and second vice-president, a treasurer, one director and the immediate past-president of the Victorian Days Society (chamber committee) Terry Farmer.

The key appointment by the executive committee will be a chairman to organize the Victorian Days events who will work under the direction of the executive.

Ansell said he will nominate Helen Beirnes as festival chairman.

She was organizer of the Victorian Days events in 1972, assisted by Ansell.

The society had operated under the chamber for three years ending in the red by \$9,000 after two years—but making a profit of \$18,000 last year, giving the new organization a surplus of \$9,000.

Much of the money came from the Penny Farthing Inn which sold beer two days at Memorial Arena.

Ansell said he will recommend to the executive that the Penny Farthing Inn run longer next May.

He said to be successful, the festival would have to generate funds to assist in promoting and expanding the event.

There would have to be a mix of admission charges and free events.

He advocated moving the

logging sports to Royal Athletic Park and charging admission, rather than holding a free showing at the Inner Harbor.

Royal Athletic Park could be used for many other events, including a possible junior Olympics involving local schools during each day of the festival.

A miniature tattoo could be held each day.

Ansell has helped organize Vancouver Island logging sports and was a director of the first logging sport show at

the Pacific National Exhibition.

He is a former director of the Calgary Stampede.

A total of 61 of the society's 91 members attended the meeting Wednesday night.

Elected to two-year terms as directors were Philip Holmes, David Baird, Peter Tredgett, Farmer, Ansell and Beirnes.

Elected to one-year terms were Fred Usher, Glenda Oliver, Les Wood, Jack Morgan, Peter Chipman and Jack McKernan.

PROBATION FOR KILLING HER HUSBAND

PRINCE GEORGE (CP) — Margaret Constance Simard, a 33-year-old Prince George woman described by the court as "in truth a long-suffering wife," was sentenced to three years probation Wednesday after being convicted of manslaughter.

Mrs. Simard was charged in the death of her husband, Hugh Simard, who died April 18 from a hammer blow to the head.

Justice F. Craig Munro of the British Columbia Supreme Court, told Mrs. Simard she had endured great provocation and rough treatment at the hands of her husband and said it would be in the public interest to allow her to remain at home with her two children.

Boxcars Stuck On Mainland

Canadian National has 30 boxcars waiting in its Port Mann yards near Vancouver with "not much prospect of them moving" to Vancouver Island because of a month-long strike involving a subsidiary of Seaspan International.

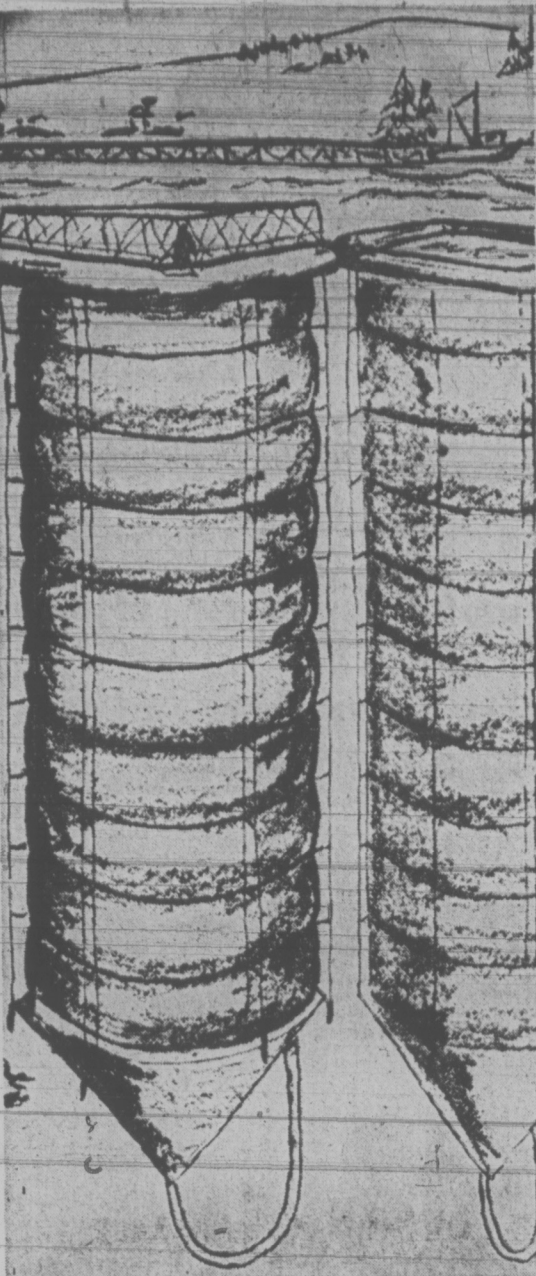
A spokesman for CN added, however, that "some feed grain" will be moving by shipping boxcars via Canadian Pacific railcar ferry to the Island.

Canadian National normally ships boxcars to the Island by Aqua Transportation whose

two freight-carrying vessels, Greg Yorke and the Doris Yorke, have been tied up at the Tilbury Dock in Ladner, near Vancouver, since Aug. 13.

The strike began with 14 members of Local 400 of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway, Transport and General Workers who were joined by 27 members of the Canadian Merchant Service Guild Aug. 15.

The Greg Yorke used to make one return trip daily between Vancouver and Victoria hauling CN boxcars.



UNDERWATER LABORATORIES, shaped like huge up-ended silos, will be used for a long-term international pollution study to be carried out in Saanich Inlet, beginning in the spring. Six oceanographic organizations, including the University of British Columbia's Institute of Oceanography, will take part in the \$10 million project. The unique laboratories were designed by John Case of Case Existological Laboratories of 783 Cave.

'Giant Firms Give Nothing'

UNITED NATIONS (UPI) — Ralph Nader called Wednesday for a wide ranging United Nations investigation into activities of multinational corporations throughout the world and questioned whether the giant firms make any substantial contribution to the economic development of poor nations.

gerous cars for corrections," he noted. "In the U.S. these same companies have to recall these cars. In Australia, these laws do not apply."

Cover-Up Jury May Get Extension

WASHINGTON — If the court battle over access to the White House Watergate tapes is not resolved by mid-November, special prosecutor Archibald Cox may ask Congress to extend the term of the federal grand jury investigating the break-in and cover-up.

A spokesman for the special prosecutor acknowledged that an act of Congress extending the grand jury term beyond Dec. 5 is one of two alternatives under consideration. The other would be submitting the evidence again to a new grand jury.

There is concern in Cox's office that the battle over the

tapes will not be resolved before the end of the grand jury's term.

A decision from the United States Court of Appeals is expected by Oct. 1, with a Supreme Court decision likely by Nov. 1.

Also, the lawyer for former White House special counsel Charles Colson has informed the Watergate committee Colson may be indicted in the Ellsberg case, according to a committee source.

As a result, the committee may not call Colson, 42, a former Nixon political operative, to testify, as originally planned, when it resumes public hearings Sept. 24.

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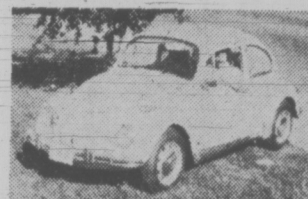
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New Tax Urged

TORONTO (CP) — The Canadian tax system would be significantly improved if federal and provincial sales taxes were replaced by a single co-ordinated value-added tax, R. D. Brown, senior tax partner of Price Waterhouse and Co. of Toronto, said Tuesday.

Speaking at the annual conference of the National Tax Association and the Tax Institute of America, Mr. Brown said such a tax would provide important advantages not available through a single retail sales tax system producing equivalent revenue.

However, he said he is skeptical such a tax will be adopted or "even seriously considered" by any level of government in Canada.

"A single value-added tax replacing existing federal and provincial sales taxes would have a relatively high rate and high consumer visibility that would make it unpopular with voters and politicians alike."

But it would be an improvement because "the present system of federal and provincial sales taxes is economically unneutral, discriminates against domestic and export markets and is erratic and capricious in terms of its exemptions and the incidence of its burdens."

The conference also discussed possible guidelines on property taxes to be paid by operators of the proposed Mackenzie River valley pipeline.

R. A. Hemstock, an official at Canadian Arctic Gas Study Ltd., of Toronto described the guidelines as "an educated guess," saying the assessment on a 48-inch, high-pressure pipeline in Alberta would be in the vicinity of \$48,500 a mile. This would indicate a tax, at 50 mills, of \$2,225 a mile.

He said experience across Canada indicates a tax of not more than two per cent of the assessment, equivalent to 20 mills.

Applied to a \$48,500-a-mile assessment, this would indicate a tax of \$970 a mile.

"In the District of Mackenzie, our only indication of the method of taxation would be the practice adopted in other districts of Canada without municipal organization."

"With no established mill rates, a percentage of the assessment is usually used as a tax, which is paid directly to the government involved," he said.

Mr. Hemstock added that historically, the property tax on transcontinental pipelines in Canada "has remained fairly constant at an average rate of about a half of one per cent of total gross plant."

Trade Standards Criticized

WASHINGTON (CP) — The number and quality of international standards governing the size and other aspects of manufactured goods were sharply criticized Wednesday by a senior Canadian official.

R. L. Hennessy of Ottawa, executive director of the Standards Council of Canada, said international codes have a potential for considerable impact on world trade, "but we don't know the extent to which even our current small family of international standards is used by world traders compared with national or industry standards."

The number of standards needed for international trade is probably 10,000 or four times the existing number, he said. Unless such codes can be completed more quickly and with greater relevance to trade, individual governments may set their own standards "and this would be disastrous."

Hennessy spoke to a meeting of the International Organization for Standardization, a Geneva-based group whose 50,000 experts around the world develop international standards of various kinds.

Hennessy, a former career navy man who became successively comptroller-general and chief of personnel for the Canadian Armed Forces before leaving to help organize the Standards Council in 1970, called for a radical reshaping of ISO methods and procedures.

"We must produce our standards in at least half the time we take to do it today," he said.

The type of standards adopted must also be more realistic, reflecting a need for basic and broad-ranging guides and codes, instead of those which narrowly define outdated products.

International Standards would have an important impact on world trade "only if they reflect the real need... and only if they can be produced in time and in the right priority," he said.

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North Dream a CBC Nightmare

OTTAWA — Anik, the satellite launched to turn the Northern Dream into reality, is embroiled in a nightmare, thanks to the CBC.

It involves the residents of Fort Simpson, a small community on the Mackenzie River.

It seems they were promised live CBC television service, beamed to their community of 1,500 by Anik starting Sept. 1 at the latest.

So claims Joe Mercredi, the outspoken editor and owner of the town's newspaper, the Mackenzie News.

In anticipation of southern television delights, the residents purchased color television sets.

Now CBC has informed the community the television service won't start until April, 1974.

The CBC spokesman said that, as far as he could deter-

mine... though he was not positive... the CBC had not promised Fort Simpson television service before April, 1974.

"They're lying... the CBC has lied to us so many times," Mercredi charged.

He noted that the special dish for receiving the television signals from Anik is already installed at Fort Simpson.

Some sociologists have expressed concerns that Anik will be a one-way communications highway, bringing in only information, entertainment and values from the south to the North.

Mercredi claims residents are upset about the programing they are now getting through the local CBC radio outlet.

"We hear so much about what's going on in Ontario, Nova Scotia, and on Vancouver Island; what we want to know is what's going on in Inuvik and other northern communities."

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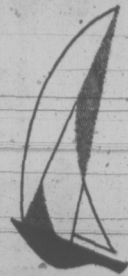
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Building Active In North

PRINCE GEORGE (CP) — It has been a particularly good year for construction workers in northern British Columbia and the region's construction workers will probably enjoy their busiest winter ever.

Leaders of building trade unions say most unions have all members at work and some are even short of men to fill jobs in Prince George and other regional centres.

Bud Owens of the International Union of Operating Engineers said he has "no complaints because business has been good" and added the union is "short of men in Prince George, Dawson Creek, Kamloops and Vancouver."

He said the construction season began later this year than normal and that he hopes the good weather holds. Next year "looks to be just as good for us."

Bill Flowers of the Painters Union said "everybody is working" and "it looks like we'll be keeping everyone at work through the winter, something unusual for painters."

Construction of two new high-rise office buildings in Prince George and several other major projects here is credited with providing a surplus of indoor winter construction work.

Fred Scholtz of the International Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners said "we've had full employment for the last three months and we hope it goes on for several more months."

He agreed that there will be more work this winter for construction trades than in any recent year.

Because of a shortage of tradesmen in construction, Scholtz said it has been easier to organize construction firms this summer than in recent years.

BEFORE THE JUDGE

A Pedder Bay man tripped up by two RCMP undercover agents received the maximum sentence of two years less a day when he pleaded guilty in provincial court to trafficking in marijuana.

Hugh Randolph Pritchard, 26, was sentenced by Judge F. S. Green.

Pritchard was charged after police found seven small packets of hashish in his pocket when searched following a raid at the Churchill Hotel on Langley Street July 27.

Crown said the accused returned to the hotel and told two men the amount seized was only a part of a half-pound lot of hashish he had bought for \$530 the night before.

Pritchard didn't realize, however, the two men were undercover narcotics agents.

The accused told them he intended to break down the lot into quarter-ounce packages to sell for \$20 each.

"It is obvious to me," said Judge Green, "that he was engaged in a substantial operation."

"A man of his age and experience and taking into account the amount of the substance he had... does not go to his benefit."

The sentence will be served in the Vancouver Island Regional Correctional Centre on Wilkinson Road.

History was repeated when Peter George McLean, 96, Balmoral Road appeared before Judge William Ostler.

Three-and-one-half years ago McLean, then 18, pleaded guilty to stealing \$23 from a cash drawer in the Bastion Boutique, Bastion Square. He was sentenced to six months.

On Wednesday he pleaded guilty to stealing exactly the same amount from the same cash drawer last July 27.

He received another six-month jail sentence.

Said Ostler, "Surely you don't want to spend the rest of

your life in jail... a young man like you?"

McLean also received a concurrent six-month sentence on a charge of possession of stolen property to which he pleaded guilty.

Prosecutor Peter Birkett said the accused had been stopped by police in the 2500 block Wark March 28 and a new suede coat and a man's suit found in a paper bag on the front seat of the car.

McLean had told police he got the clothing from a couple of hith-hikers as collateral on a \$20 loan to buy some heroin.

A young woman who shoplifted a \$23 sweater from T. Eaton's Tuesday afternoon was fined \$250, in default one month in jail.

Maureen Chayko, 22, a recent arrival to Victoria, pleaded guilty. Ostler allowed her 10 months to pay.

Colwood student Paul Hatlen was given a suspended sentence and placed on probation for six months when he pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana.

The 17-year-old was charged by RCMP in Castlegar July 27 after police found 18 marijuana cigarettes in his possession at a dance in Kin-naird.

"That's a substantial number of cigarettes," Ostler said. "How could you afford that?"

Richard Wesley Smith, 18, of 2877 Trans Canada Highway, was given a suspended sentence and placed on probation for a year.

He was found guilty Aug. 10 of possessing a knife for a purpose dangerous to the public peace.

The charge arose out of a fight June 2.

John Stewart Hawke, 45, of 2024 Stanley, was fined \$400 and placed on one year probation when he pleaded guilty to possession of stolen property — three outboard motors and two fuel tanks.

Ex-Deputy Gets Raise

Johann Phillipson, former deputy minister of education, will receive \$33,000 a year in his new capacity as associate deputy minister of schools.

Before his demotion, Phillipson was earning \$27,000.

He was appointed to the new position Monday along with A. E. Soles, who will be associate deputy post-secondary, and J. R. Fleming, who will be associate deputy finance and administration.

Soles will receive \$31,000 a year and Fleming \$28,000.

A new deputy minister has not yet been chosen.

Fire Kills 10

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A pre-dawn fire in a West Philadelphia nursing home today killed at least 10 elderly patients and injured three seriously.

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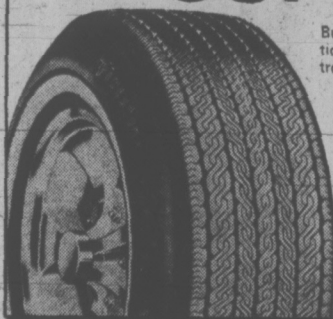
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'Homecoming' Promised Soon For Students

Seventy-five University of Victoria students enrolled in a new child care program headed by Dr. William Gaddes should soon have a "home."

The university senate Wednesday promised to set up a committee to study which faculty they will work under and which degree they are working towards.

UVic president Dr. Hugh Farquhar said placing the program is a "complicated issue and were going to have more problems in the future with programs that don't have an actual home."

"There are certain requirements (in the program) that are different than a BA, it's a more professional type of degree."

"We have a director, and students and great enthusiasm, but the senate must find the mechanics," he said.

The program was placed under the Dean of Academic Affairs for administrative purposes when the program

was approved last year. "but at the moment the child care program is floating," he said. Farquhar added it might mean a new degree will be created for the program.

He suggested the committee also study the placing of other planned special programs, including social work or nursing, "so we won't have to go through the agony of where they're going to go."

UVic vice-president Dr. Steven Jennings said the issue was far more complicated than just the child care program.

"There's been no decision so far about the school of public administration, where it will fit in faculty size."

"The issue is where do a variety of programs of what you call a professional nature fit in. It must be studied and it must be studied fast."

In the meantime the senate decided to give Dr. Gaddes the interim title of chairman of the department of child care and indicated the department would abide by Arts and Science faculty guidelines.

In other business, the senate approved a split between the departments of anthropology and sociology.

They will carry on as two departments starting immediately with changes in the mechanics to become effective not later than Nov. 1.

"Most students take one or the other," explained Dean of Arts and Science J. P. Vinay, adding there will be no difficulty with departments' space or budget, after the split.

With a vow to "turn over a new leaf," Greater Victoria school board chairman Peter Bunn Wednesday released a report designed to improve management-labor relations within the administration.

The report is the result of meetings held after the bitter 25-day strike by the 265 members of the Canadian Union of Public Employees Local 382, representing the district's custodial staff, which ended Feb. 7.

Since that time, Walter Donald, vice-chairman of the board and chairman of the building and works committee, met with union representatives and school board officials to draw up a list of recommendations aimed at preventing a recurrence.

The committee came up with 10 recommendations, hailed by both the school board and union representatives as a workable solution to the problems.

Most were aimed at improving communications.

"The report, if instituted in the spirit that it's meant, can establish decent, honest and fair working conditions where difficulties that arise can be settled by discussion and debate," Bunn said.

He said the board had taken a "fairly hard-nosed" approach to the management-labor relationship in the past.

"We clamped down and perhaps at times forgot that it's human beings that make it all happen."

CUPE representative Bob Cunningham said: "If these recommendations are implemented, without a doubt the relationship will improve 100 per cent and possibly prevent future strikes."

"When we go into the next

negotiations with the board, we won't be going into them with the same acid attitude we had the last time."

The report, which Donald promised "won't be shelved," was released after the board met Wednesday evening with executives of the Greater Victoria Teachers' Association and union representatives.

Among the recommendations were:

—That the board review all policies which influence employer-employee relationships with a view towards developing a productive, co-operative environment.

—That the union be invited

to attend board and committee meetings and contribute to the latter through the facilities and school support department. (Vice-chairman Donald indicated that this recommendation had already taken effect.)

—That labor-management committee meetings be re-established. (The board wants to hear from all types of employees, janitors, custodians, carpenters, plumbers, etc., Bunn said, not just one or two people representing the whole group.)

—That the labor-management committee concern itself with methods to

improve employee morale, working conditions, and efficiency, and not deal with negotiations.

—That administration discuss with the union the establishment of other channels of communication such as custodial, janitorial or maintenance advisory committees, written reports and to insure an unimpeded flow of information to and from these parties.

—That the board provide in its 1974 operations and maintenance budgets, enough money to allow for adequate janitorial and maintenance staffing.

—That administration review the possibility of employing relief janitors on Saturdays in lieu of having regular members work on Tuesday to Saturday split mid-night shift.

Both the school board and the union admitted problems between the two factions have arisen since a change in the salary rate scale for the maintenance staff made in 1966.

At that time, the method of fixing salaries of the CUPE members on a scale with other downtown Victoria labor unions was thrown out.

Cunningham said this was an important consideration to the union and would possibly be negotiated for when the present contract expires at the end of 1974.

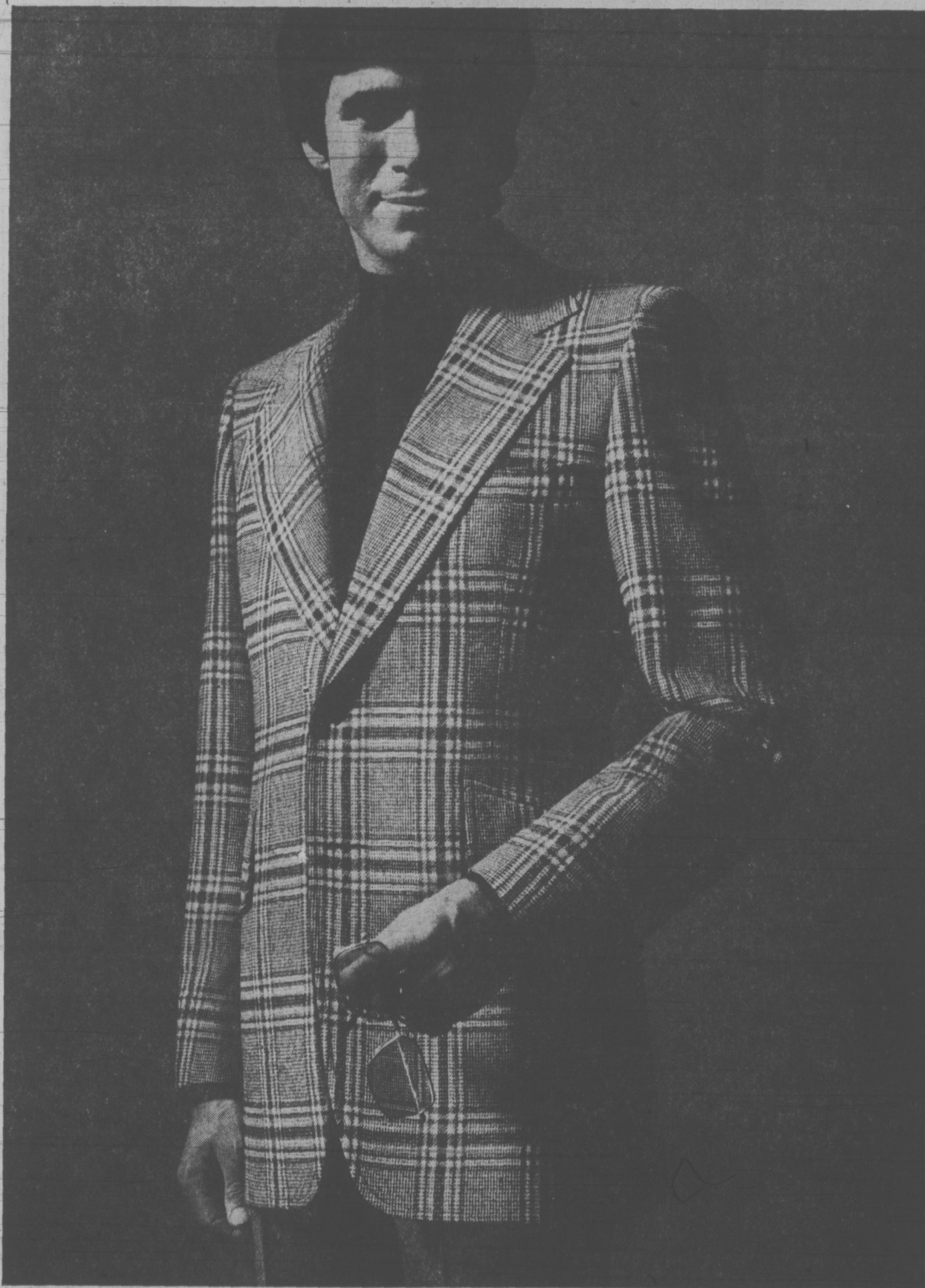
Another reason for the labor problems was the Social Credit government's cutback in school board budgets in 1972, Bunn said.

Substantial cuts and work adjustments to the custodial staff were made when the board's operating budget referendum failed in 1972.

The board is expected to accept the report as part of official policy at its next meeting Monday.

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OTTAWA (CP) — Manpower Minister Robert Andras promised Wednesday his department's full co-operation and resources to help reduce manpower shortages in the logging industry.

He said there is a high turnover and shortage of workers in the industry, especially in New Brunswick, Quebec and British Columbia.

An industry sponsored conference to plan action on the problem will be held in Vancouver Oct. 16 with government participation.

Further discussions with the industry are planned for this year with a national conference on manpower planning scheduled for 1974.

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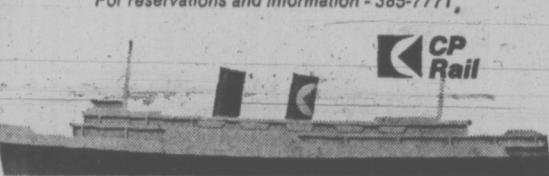
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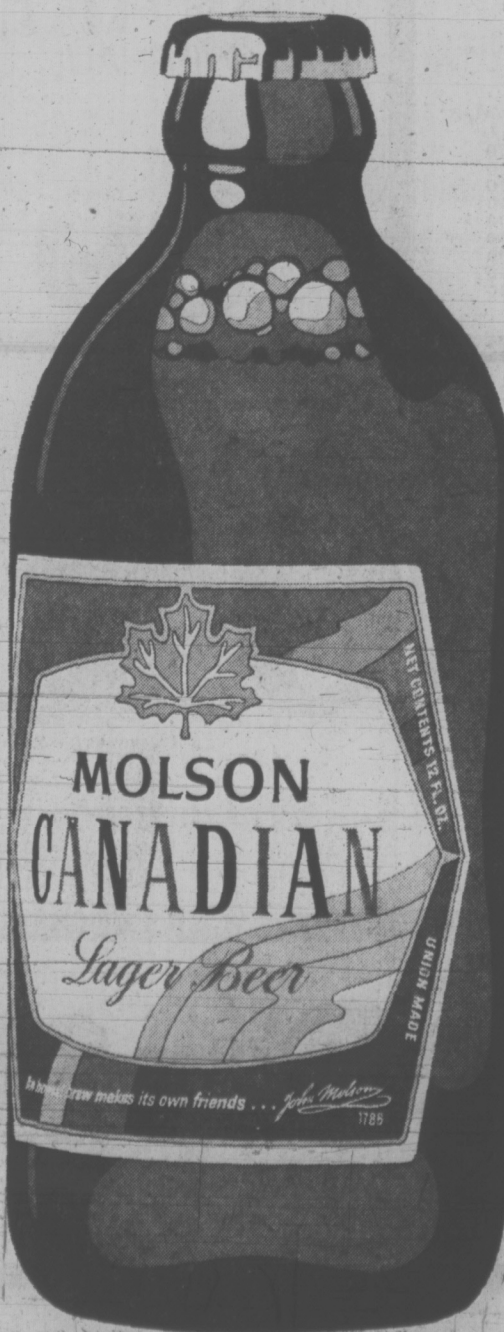
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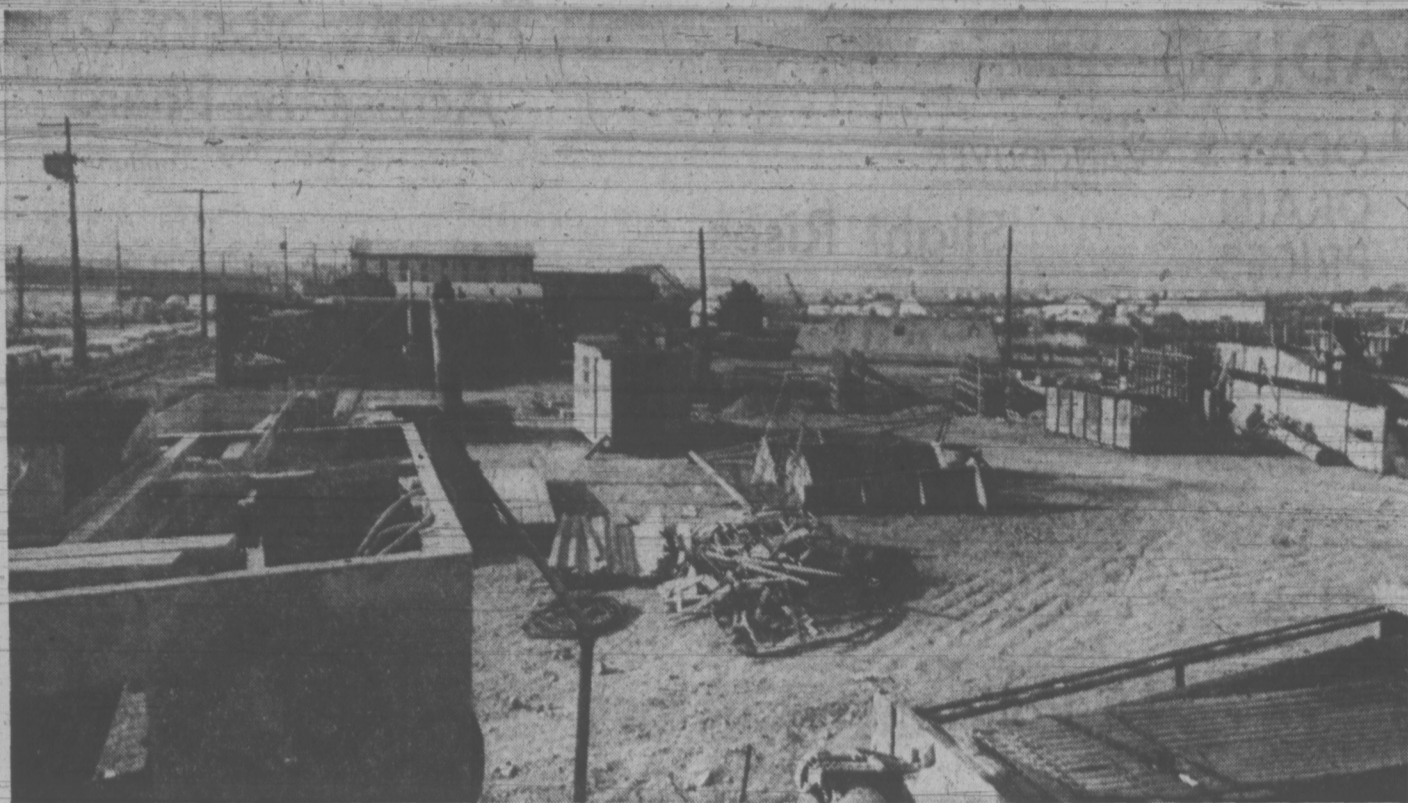
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structions, and now the firm has launched legal action against the city. Picture shows the site looking toward downtown area, with street at left and Capital Iron buildings in the background. (Bill Halkett photo.)

City Sued Over Permit Cancellation

By PAUL MOSS
Times Staff

A paving company is taking legal action against Mayor Peter Pollen, the city of Victoria and three city engineering officials over the city's cancellation of a building permit for a proposed \$300,000 asphalt paving plant on Store Street.

Lawyer Michael Hutchison, representing the plaintiffs, OK Paving Ltd. and OK Trucking Ltd., said Wednesday the delay caused by revocation of the permit has involved his clients in "massive expenditure."

"It is conceivable that the damages could exceed \$200,000," he said.

The writ filed in B.C. Supreme Court late Tuesday was formally served Wednesday morning on the corporation of the city of Victoria,

city engineer James Garnett, deputy city engineer Bill Jorgensen and building inspector Alex James.

A copy could not be served on Pollen, who is attending the Union of B.C. Municipalities convention in Prince George.

If the city decides to defend the action there could be a delay of up to a year before the case comes to trial, Hutchison said, but meanwhile "we are prepared to discuss the matter with the city."

Tory Won't 'Wed'

Oak Bay MLA G. Scott Wallace said today an alliance between Social Credit and Progressive Conservative parties is unlikely because the Socreds "have not changed enough."

"The main reason I left the (Socred) party originally was because of the way it operated under the leadership of W.A.C. Bennett," Wallace said.

"If Bill Bennett is a replica of his father in his attitude to the caucus, the party and his leadership," the Tory MLA said "there's no way there'll be an alliance."

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The suggestion of political fusion of the parties came up during the recent South Okanagan byelection campaign when Tory leader Derryl Warren promoted the possibility of merger as part of his platform.

President of the B.C. Conservative Association, Peter Hyndman renewed the subject Wednesday when he said in a press release there are "lots of good reasons for an alliance."

Hyndman suggested the fall session of the legislature would be a good time for the 10 Socred members and two Conservative members to discuss the possibility of merger.

Despite Hyndman's statement, Wallace said no formal talks have been set up with the Socreds and the Tories themselves have not officially discussed any merger.

Social Credit party whip Ed Smith said today although there's been no formal approach to talks made among the three opposition parties, Socreds would be willing to talk to any free enterprise party about the possibility of a merger or coalition.

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"We will be willing to meet with anyone to discuss informally the direction of the whole free enterprise system in B.C."

Smith said it will be necessary for a majority of voter support to fall behind one party in order for the NDP government to be defeated.

Asked about the nature of possible negotiations between the Socreds and the Tories, Smith said there will be no room for "bargaining power" to be wielded by either side in the talks.

"The people don't want us to play political games," he said. "They want to see a return of free enterprise government in B.C."

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SECOND SECTION

Sharp Increase at UVic

About 6,000 students are expected to have registered at the University of Victoria when late registration ends Friday, President Hugh Farquhar told a Senate meeting Wednesday.

"It's a considerable increase over last year's figure and most encouraging," Farquhar said.

Last year's December totals show a total of 5,341 students at the university after classes settled.

First-year student numbers show an increase of 115 registered and an anticipated increase of 101 students is expected in second year. Third year student population has decreased by about 112 and fourth year shows almost the same enrolment as last year, he said.

Farquhar said the "turn-around" in student enrolment — which has been on a steady decline during the past few years — could cause "real complications."



FARQUHAR

"The whole business of not knowing totals until the first day of classes... is a great hardship for everybody."

He said pre-registration was one of the alternatives that may be considered.

Dr. M. J. Ashwood-Smith, acting head of the department of biology, said he faced a particularly confusing situation. Applications to his department were startlingly high, but not a true indication of registration.

Enrolment in that department actually fell by 80 students.

"If nothing is done I'll bring it up formally at the next Senate meeting."

"We ought to have better methods for planning than making guesses and assumptions. It isn't the way to make plans."

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Tough New Pay Phones Cut Vandal's Incentive



New pay telephones, designed to foil thieves, could be installed in Victoria within a year if tests in Vancouver prove successful.

A B.C. Telephone spokesman said today 10 of the new machines were installed in Vancouver in mid-August on a 60-day trial basis.

"So far we've had no trouble at all," he said, "and if the trial proves successful we could see them here within a year."

The pay telephones are designed with case-hardened steel and theft-fighting mechanisms. They have stronger switch hooks and weigh 52 lbs. instead of the standard 21 lbs.

A unique feature is the single coin slot, that takes nickels, dimes and quarters.

"It has an electronically controlled device," the spokesman explained, "which puts the coins into the correct slot and automatically rejects slugs and other matter."

He said some machines are already in the Okanagan area and once the Vancouver trial is completed, others will be installed throughout the province.

The spokesman said thefts from pay telephones have decreased in the Victoria area but a major problem is the jamming of the machines by bent coins.

Ask The Times

Q. In the recent byelection in South Okanagan, William Bennett's margin over NDP candidate Brian Melvor was 3,336 votes. What was W.A.C. Bennett's margin of victory in the last provincial election?

A. The former premier polled 6,062 votes more than NDP candidate Frank Snodgrass.

Q. Where can I write to Ted Neeley, the star of Jesus Christ Superstar? H.H.

A. Universal Studio, Universal City, Los Angeles, California, or Universal Films Canada, MCA Building, 2450 Victoria Park Ave., Willowdale, 425 Ontario.

Advance Signals At Wilson

A potential road hazard for motorists in Victoria West will be improved in the near future with installation of advance warning signals at the Wilson Street rail crossing on the E and N line.

City officials said Wednesday flashing lights and a "ding ding" sound alarm system, similar to the Esquimalt Road signals, will be installed shortly at a total cost of about \$17,000, of which the city will pay 12.5 per cent.

Drivers travelling that route have to contend with the pronounced switchback contours of Wilson in the area of the rail crossing, and a limited view of the westerly rail approach.

Although there are the usual stop signs, city traffic engineer Dave Campbell says the infrequency of trains breeds a degree of carelessness.

Public Kept From Joining Education Study Group

University of Victoria senate Wednesday decided against including community representatives on the newly-approved senate committee on continuing education.

Instead, two lay senators responsible for community feedback will be appointed to the committee.

Dr. C. H. Butler, himself a lay senator, felt there should be more public input in the continuing education division.

"The committee should be a vehicle through which the community pressures could be brought to bear on the senate," he said.

"And that won't be achieved by appointing a couple of lay senate members (to the committee)."

He asked that the senate

committee on committees "rethink" its proposal which originally provided for five faculty members from education, fine arts, humanities, science and social science and nine additional members.

Also suggested was the appointment of an advisory committee where representatives of the professional groups in the community could meet and make their opinions known.

Senator Sam Macey, of the UVic English department, agreed.

"This committee should have a sub-committee to bring in information from the outside," he said.

The chairman of the senate committee on committees, Dr. A. D. Kirk, however, said

that proposal might turn out to be "something of a red herring."

"Community feedback operates on a daily basis now," he said.

Asked for his reaction to the discussion, continuing education director Dr. Laurence Devlin requested that some form of committee be approved as soon as possible.

"It could be argued under the Universities Act that we have been negligent in not having community involvement," but, "I hope at least we might move the matter forward as soon as possible."

The senate decided to reduce to one the representatives from the arts and science faculties and provide for two lay senators.



NO FLATBED of roses is chore facing tow-truck operators planning to haul flatbed trailer-truck out of weeds off Malahat highway near Bamberton. Truck driver Rich Bennett of Cobble Hill told police he swerved to avoid a car blocking the road.

—striking a car parked at the side of the road and landing in the bush. Neither Bennett nor the occupant of the parked car — Alexander Brown of Nanaimo — were seriously hurt. Damage to car and truck is estimated at \$1,000 and \$7,000.

—Irving Strickland photo

Robinson Challenges Dear

Sidney alderman Fred Robinson will run against Mayor Stan Dear in November's mayoralty contest.

Robinson, elected in 1971, said today he will resign from council Sept. 30 — midway through his second term as alderman — to seek the mayor's job.

He is the first announced mayoralty candidate for the Nov. 17 elections.

Robinson said he is unsatisfied with his position as alderman and chairman of the fi-

nance committee and he disagrees with Mayor Dear on many issues.

"I feel that I haven't been given an opportunity to use my capabilities," he said, adding that he was chairman of Oak Bay Council's public works committee for eight years of his 14 years on council.

"The mayor and I have never seen eye to eye on many issues," he said. "I think the mayor is a fine chap, but he has been subject to outside influences that have led him to probably not act in the best interests of Sidney taxpayers."

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Growers Keeping Name-For Now

Afton Gears for '75 Mine

By AL FORREST
Times Business Editor

The name Growers Wine Ltd. will continue to exist in Victoria at least until the end of the year, says Vancouver Island manager John Bonnet.

The company was purchased by Canadian Breweries Ltd. in February and was scheduled to become Castle Wines Ltd. on Growers' 50th anniversary in July.

The company will use both names: Growers and Castle, at least until the end of the year, Bonnet said.

But the long-term plan to

adopt the name Castle remains.

Growers Wine Ltd. started in downtown Victoria in 1923 and now is on Quadra Street in Saanich.

Castle Wines, a subsidiary of Canadian Breweries Ltd., owns a winery in Moose Jaw and 90 per cent of Chalet Wines in Calgary.

Saanich is the national headquarters for the Growers-Castle subsidiary, although president Derek Haxell has been transferred to Toronto.

business

Afton Mines Ltd., the local glamor stock of 1972, hopes to begin mining copper in 1975, president Robert Hallbauer said today.

He said a feasibility study will be completed this fall with construction scheduled to start in the spring and completion expected 18 months after that.

"This is assuming that the feasibility study is favorable and we are not hindered by government policies," he said.

The mine is 10 miles west of Kamloops.

The company will be legislating the session of the legislature which began today to see what new regulations the provincial government has planned for the mining industry.

A new royalty rate is expected.

"Fortunately we are in a position to keep our options open on whether to go ahead. We are hopeful the new rates will be acceptable," Afton has discovered appar-

ent reserves of 30 million tons of ore grading just over 1 per cent copper. Preliminary work will be by open pit mine.

New discoveries by Afton, however, indicate it would be feasible to shift to underground mining in later years to get additional ore.

The open pit mine would go down about 1,000 feet.

A test drill 650 feet below that level assayed at 2.5 per cent copper. Further deep drilling is under way.

Hallbauer said the company is already satisfied it has enough deep ore reserves to justify eventual underground mining.

The company's open pit reserves grading 1 per cent copper created great excitement in the spring of 1972, pushing the price of Afton shares from \$1.45 to \$15.50.

The 1 per cent average grade is high for open pit

mass production ventures. Most large B.C. open pit copper mines have grades of 4 per cent or 5 per cent.

Underground mining, however, is much more expensive and grades of the order of 1.5 per cent to 2 per cent are needed to justify shaft construction.

The open pit work would take several years and no work would be done on underground shafting until surface work was completed.

However, the potential for extending the life of the mine beyond the pit adds to the potential value of the mill which has to be constructed on the property.

Cost of the project and numbers of employees will not be known until the feasibility study is complete.

Meanwhile, several other companies are pushing ahead with minor exploration programs before cold weather sets in.

Ice Station Resources Ltd. is starting its eighth drill hole on its Ruth property 57 miles east of Yellowknife in the Northwest Territories.

It is looking for commercial quantities of gold. A total of 13 holes are planned.

Cypress Resources Ltd. is carrying out diamond drilling on its Lad claims 100 miles east of Mayo, The Yukon.

Kalco Valley Mines Ltd. plans a drill program on its claims in the Stikine area and also plans work on its Keno claims. Drilling equipment arrived on the Stikine property on Sept. 6.

Transide Industries Ltd. and Silver Hawk Explorations Ltd. are working on 30 claims on the west slope of Granite Mountain at the 6,000 foot elevation.

The property is 30 miles from Princeton.

MUTUAL FUNDS


WEDNESDAY									
Bid	Ask	Ex Fd Cda	632	693	Pac Comp	752	752		
Acrofund	129	134	Ex Inc Inv	211	Pac Div	263	263		
A.G.F. Jap	1317	1447	GIS Comp	995	Pac Res	339	339		
All Can Co	894	254	GIS Income	342	Pac Ref	329	329		
All Can Vc	370	402	Grwth Ea	772	Pac V.S.	203	203		
All Cdn 8000	496	539	Guar Ent	94	Pen Mut	864	864		
All Cdn En	217	217	Ind Equ	377	Real Hb Nih	1929	1269		
Am Grwth	545	599	Ind Equ	377	Plan Res	449	493		
Andree Eq	538	588	Ind Grwth	1058	Princ Gr	492	496		
Assoc Inv	992	998	Int Eng	278	Princ Vant	243	247		
Canada Gr	584	642	Int Grwth	590	Prov Mut	763	834		
Can Sec Gr	1165	1195	Int Inc	412	Prud Gr	670	732		
Cdn 65 En	1311	1460	Inv Gr	1209	Res Gr	929	1021		
Cdn Inv	511	540	Inv Int	658	Reg Ven	425	467		
Cdn Sec Gr	528	580	Inv Jap	811	Rorfund	673	700		
Cdn SAG	881	963	Inv Mut	583	Tempt Gr	836	916		
Cdn Trsd	491	540	Marlbor'g	494	Ud Accu	514	565		
Cap Gr	1159	1187	Mut Accu	597	Ud Accu R	535	588		
Cnwth Int	1352	1396	Mut Bnd	1035	Ud Am	170	187		
Cnwth V	724	796	Mut Inc	512	Ud Ven	330	363		
Corp Inv	624	686	Nat Res	565	Ud Ven R	486	534		
Cro Inv SIK	516	567	N.W. Equit	592	Univ S.E.	791	869		
Eaton Vlk	615	668	N.W. Equit	592	West Gr	633	696		
Educ Ea	781	825	N.W. Grwth	510	Xanadu Fd	372	372		
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BONDS

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Do 1/2	45	46	LE 8 1/2	93	94	LE 8 1/2	93	94	LE 8 1/2
Do 1/2	45	46	TROR 8 1/2	93	94	TROR 8 1/2	93	94	TROR 8 1/2
Prov. of Ont. 7 1/2	90	94	WTC 7 1/2	91	95 1/2	WTC 7 1/2	91	95 1/2	WTC 7 1/2
Prov. Que. 8 1/2	94	97	WDA 8 1/2	93	98	WDA 8 1/2	93	98	WDA 8 1/2
World Bank 7 1/2	94	97							

INTERIM LISTING

WEDNESDAY											
Abaca	Bid	Ask	Cairn M	13	16	Drifwood	67	70	Nthwind	35	50
Abella	35	40	Camel	45	49	Envoy R	38	41	Pantrh	17	26
Abel Exp	9	12	Can Bas	7	7	Erin Ex	21	21	Payette	6	9
Acadale	5	6	Canvex	37	37	Fortun	120	120	Perry R	88	88
Adar Res	16	18	Cardw	7	12	Gary M	92	88	Petrow	41	45
Alakon	2	6	Carolin	63	65	Geost	115	185	Princess	38	45
Alberal	4	5	Cedar C	105	115	Geo Inv	25	30	Prism R	11	22
Alvina	10	11	Chimney	11	18	Gr Prix	68	70	QC Expl	10	18
Amalgam	10	11	Chimney	11	18	Gr Prix	68	70	QC Expl	10	18
Amber R	16	18	Chimney	11	18	Grndstr	42	42	Remar	13	15
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Belmore	13 1/2	15	Coyne	38	41	Kandrh	20	20	Silmc	15	15
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						Lucky St	7	7	Tandem	83	83
						Lox Mex	50	55	Tanzil	6	10
						MacLead	10	10	Tekoni	22	25
						Manox	61 <td>63</td> <td>Toronad</td> <td>23</td> <td>25</td>	63	Toronad	23	25
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PGE Makes Gas Deal in B.C.

VANCOUVER (CP) — An agreement for pre-payments which could total as much as \$13 million for natural gas from the Grizzly Valley field has been made between a group of B.C. companies and California's Pacific Gas and Electric.

The contract stipulates immediate pre-payment of \$1.5 million for proven gas reserves from the B.C. field near Dawson Creek.

An additional \$1.5 million is based on already proven reserves and the balance is contingent on further develop-

LONDON

LONDON (CP) — Closing stock quotations in new penny units are indicated.

Association British Foods 51; Anglo Am. of S. Africa 3 1/2; Babcock and Wilcox 6; Barlow Rand 208; Bass Charrington 123; BICC 145; Blyvoor 32 1/2; Boots 27 1/2; Bowater Paper 130; Brit Am 109; 25 1/2; Brit Assets Trust 66 1/2; Brit Leyland 28 1/2; Brit Oxygen 63; Brit Petroleum 49 1/2; Broken Hill Prop 55 1/2; Burmah Oil 39 1/2; Canadian Pac 8 1/2; Cast 7 1/2; Charter Cons 165; Cons Gold 216; Courtaulds 132 1/2; Dagsfontein 8; De Beers 34 1/2; Distillers 146 1/2; Dunlop 84; F. A. Gaiduld 945; EMI 149; Gen Elec 14 1/2; Glaxo 244; Grand Metropolitan Hotels 104 1/2; Gr Univ Strs 244 1/2; Guest Keen 294 1/2; Hawker Siddeley 33 1/2; Hoover 65; Hudson Bay 88 1/2; ICI 244; Imp Tob 89; Judd 56 1/2; Kioof 590; Marks and Spencer 266; Metal Box 236 1/2; MIM Holdings 175 1/2; Phillips 980; Plex-sey 121; Posidon 410; Rank 4; 428 1/2; Roan Consol 270; Rio Tinto 213; Sel Trust 20 1/2; Second Scott Inv 80 1/2; Shell 7 and 7 1/2; Tanganyika 192 1/2; Thomson 198 1/2; Thorn 415 1/2; Tube Investments 377; Ultramar 22 1/2; Unilever 337 1/2; Union Corp 310; Vaal Reef 10 1/2; Western Deep Level 79 1/2; Western Driefontein 16 1/2; West Mine 115; Woolworth 72 1/2; Holding 16 1/2; Zambian Anglo 20 1/2.

Bonds (in pounds): Brit Transp 78 1/2; 4 1/2; Brit Consols 21 1/2; Exchange 197 1/2; Treasury 08-12 49; War Loan 31 1/2.

COAL GAS ABUNDANT PROSPECT

EDMONTON (CP) — The money needed to build a natural gas pipeline down the Mackenzie River valley would be adequate to construct coal gasification plants that would produce the same amount of gas, Dr. Norbert Berkowitz said Wednesday.

Dr. Berkowitz, a member of the Alberta Energy Resources Conservation Board, said the \$5 billion capital investment for the gas line would build 10 coal gasification plants.

The plants would employ a total of 1,200 men and produce a trillion cubic feet of synthetic gas annually, he told the Petroleum Society of the Canadian Institute of Mining.

The price of the synthetic natural gas would be 73 to 89 cents a thousand cubic feet, about the same as that of Arctic gas, and likely below the cost of imported liquefied natural gas.

The technology for coal gasification has been proven — two U.S. plants are scheduled to start production in three years — and coal is abundant. Deposits in the Drumheller, Alta., field alone are equivalent to all the remaining recoverable natural gas reserves in the province.

Technology is being developed to recover synthetic natural gas from deeply buried coal by methods that do not require coal mining.

The Alberta Research Council has started a laboratory project on in situ recovery methods and expects to do field tests within 18 months, he said.

Calgary Stocks

WEDNESDAY						
Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Ch/g	
INDUSTRIALS						
Nordex	4500	150	150	150		
Prof Life	225	510	10	10		
OILS						
Amalta	1000	22	22	22	-1	
Barons	1000	4	4	4		+
Clearport	10500	69	60	65		+5
Conventur	2200	330	22	230		
North Cont	4500	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	+1	
Petrolmex	500	75	15	15	-2	
Petrolquest	700	90	90	90	+5	
Petro rts	3000	1	1	1		
Republic	7400	155	150	150		
MINES						
Alcor	1500	42	42	42	-1	
Cinabar	1000	42	42	42	+1	
Cultus	5000	272	20	20	-3	
Francis Crk	1000	28	28	28		-
Kintla	500	90	90	90	+11	
Nemco	500	65	65	65	+5	

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Grade A large	66c 78c
Grade A medium	63c 75c
Grade A small	49c 61c

\$ EXCHANGE

In Victoria today, purchase of U.S. funds in terms of Canadian dollar was 1.0025 by the Royal Bank with 1.0045 for cheques and .9935 for coins. Selling rates were 1.0150 for cheques and 1.0170 for cash.

MONTREAL (CP) — U.S. dollar in terms of Canadian funds at noon Thursday was down 1-30 at \$1.00 39-50. Pound sterling was up 41-100 at \$2.43 2-25.

In New York, the Canadian dollar was up 1-50 at \$0.99 11-50. Pound sterling was up 7-20 at \$2.41 1-5.

London Metals

LONDON (AP) — Metals bid-asked in pounds sterling a metric ton; silver in ounce per troy ounce.

Copper — Spot \$35.5-36; futures 808-809.

Tin — Spot 2,006-2,010; futures 1,992-1,994.

Lead — Spot 183.75-184; futures 185.5-186.

Zinc — Spot 398-399; futures 392-392.5.

Silver — Spot 105.4-105.6; three months 109.2-109.3.

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Skylab Crew Eating Their Way to Flab

WASHINGTON (WP) — Skylab astronauts Alan Bean, Jack Lousma and Owen Garriott are eating so much that the last Skylab crew will have to take as much as 200 pounds of food with them to replenish what the second crew has eaten in space.

Now inside their orbiting space station a record 48 days, Bean, Lousma and Garriott have been overeating for the last two weeks. One reason is to overcome the normal weight loss astronauts suffer in space. A second reason might be to overcome a growing sense of boredom after almost two months in orbit.

"These three guys are so far ahead of their work schedules that we're literally looking for things for them to do," one space agency official admitted Wednesday. "They're starting to get a little restless up there."

Bean, Lousma and Garriott have already made almost 20 photographic passes over earth, more than they had planned for their entire 59-day flight. They've taken so many photos of the sun that they're almost out of film for Skylab's eight solar telescopes.

All three have flown the "Buck Rogers" back-pack inside the 100-ton space station a total of eight times. Bean and Lousma were the only ones trained to use it, and even they were told to fly it a grand total of six times.

The three crewmen are now eating an average of 200 calories more per day than they're supposed to eat. Garriott as much as 400 calories more. Lousma is up to 3,800 calories a day, which is almost 1,000 calories more than Garriott takes in every day.

None of the astronauts has gained any weight, but none has lost as much as previous crewmen did in shorter time periods.

Lousma has lost six pounds, Bean has dropped 5.5 pounds and Garriott almost eight pounds. Garriott is the one least able to afford it: He left earth 48 days ago weighing 136.3 pounds, the thinnest of the three.

Moreover, all three astronauts lost weight their first week in space when they all suffered from motion sickness and didn't eat much. Considering their week-long illness, this

crew is as weight-healthy a crew that has ever flown in space.

"We've got a phenomenon going here," said Malcolm C. Smith of Houston's Johnson space centre. "The crew is taking in more energy than they need, but they're not gaining weight. It's like they're on a fad diet."

The way the astronauts are eating they will have eaten 150 pounds of food over their allotments by the time they return to earth Sept. 25. This means the third and last Skylab crew will have to carry at least that much food with them when they visit the space station Nov. 11 for a planned 70-day stay.

"This crew will have gone through an entire extra food locker," Smith explained Wednesday. "That extra locker will have to be replaced."

One big mystery about all this is how the crew manages to lose weight while overeating. The most promising theory out of Houston is that the astronauts are putting on pure fat while losing solid muscle.

"They should have picked up enough fat to overcome the muscle loss," Smith said, "but it's just not happening."

TRUDEAU REFUSES INDIAN ACTION

By IAIN HUNTER
Times Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA — The federal government will not intervene to stop the eviction of non-status Indian women from reserves as the result of a Supreme Court of Canada decision taking Indian status away from women who marry non-Indians.

Prime Minister Trudeau declared in the House of Commons that his government will not agree to abolition of parts of the Indian Act — the act upheld in the Supreme Court decision — without "a great deal of consultation" from Indian people in Canada.

Gordon Fairweather (PC—Funday-Royal) noted that the National Advisory Council on

the Status of Women had asked the prime minister for government intervention to prevent or stay evictions of Indian women affected by the decision from reserves.

Women's groups have criticized the decision on the grounds that it is discriminatory against Indian women, and contrary to the Canadian Bill of Rights. The court held that the Indian Act in this area was not affected by the Bill of Rights.

Trudeau recalled that Indian Affairs Minister Jean Chretien four years ago declared the government was prepared to abolish the act entirely, "but not without a great deal of consultation from the native people."

FREE DRUG SAMPLES CLAMPDOWN PLANNED

Special to The Times

OTTAWA — The federal health department is preparing to clamp down on the drug company practice of sending free samples of drugs, vitamins and over-the-counter products to doctors.

Under changes being proposed in the regulations under the Food and Drugs Act, the health protection branch will prohibit the provision of such free samples unless the doctor has specifically requested samples.

The request from the doctor will have to be in writing.

The change is expected to be approved by Order in

Council within a few months, to be effective immediately on approval.

The Ontario College of Physicians and Surgeons has already endorsed the change in its latest bulletin to doctors, and other colleges of medicine and professional medical associations are expected to support the change.

The Ontario College tells doctors the government's action is "in the public interest" and urges them to support it.

Paul Soucy, special adviser in the drugs directorate of the health protection branch, said Wednesday many doctors in Canada have complained about being flooded with un-

wanted samples, saying it is a nuisance.

Soucy said the government is concerned primarily because the proliferation of unwanted free samples "contributes to an increase in the cost of drugs" and to the "accumulation of unwanted drugs" and other products in doctors' offices.

There is concern that disposal of such large quantities of unwanted samples by doctors could lead to problems of abuse of some of the drugs.

Some drug companies reportedly have already cut back on their distribution of free, unwanted samples to doctors.

Pressure Builds for U.S. Fuel Oil Quota System

WASHINGTON (WP) — Congressional pressure, built up Wednesday for mandatory controls to divide up fuel oil among independent dealers and those affiliated with big oil companies.

Lawmakers in both the Senate and House argued that only a federally run allocation system would keep independent dealers from being frozen out of fuel oil supplies this winter.

Rep. Torbert H. Macdonald (D—Mass.), chairman of the House power subcommittee, said the parent interstate and foreign commerce committee would hold a special meeting today to try to clear a mandatory fuel oil allocation bill for floor action.

Since the Senate already has passed such a bill, speedy action by the House could confront President Nixon soon with the choice of vetoing the measure or letting mandatory controls go into effect after resisting them.

Sen. Abraham Ribicoff (D—Conn.) said Wednesday the Nixon administration "had flubbed it bad" in addressing the whole energy challenge and should make up for lost time by immediately implementing mandatory controls through executive order.

"I would hope the president

of the United States would put in the allocation tomorrow," Ribicoff said. His failure to do so up to now, the senator added, is because "he doesn't understand it and Gov. (John) Love doesn't understand it."

If mandatory controls are not ordered by the president, "it will take until mid-October to do it by the congressional route," Ribicoff said, "and by then we'll all be wearing gloves."

Macdonald, in urging the independent oil dealers to push for prompt action on the allocation bill by the House interstate and foreign commerce committee, said House major-

ity leader Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. (D—Mass.) has promised early floor action if the bill clears the commerce and rules committee.

Like Ribicoff, Macdonald criticized Love, former governor of Colorado, declaring he was "shocked" to learn that the White House energy chief had refused to see representatives of the independent fuel oil dealers Wednesday.

Love's refusal, Macdonald said, "gives me cause to wonder if he's the correct man to hold this job." The dealers crowded into the house caucus room applauded wildly.

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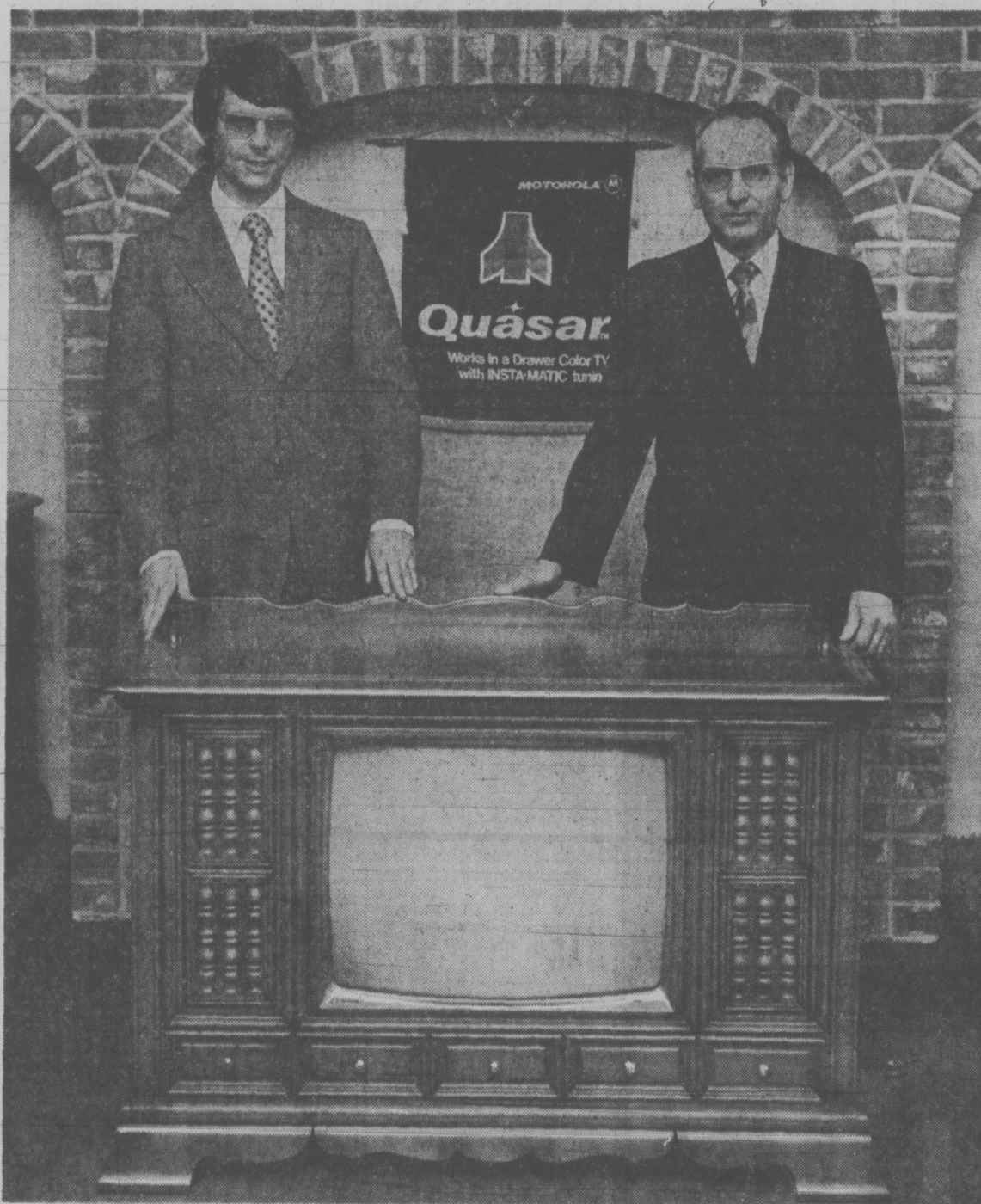
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Bomber Changes Go Sour

WINNIPEG (CP) — Head coach Jim Spavital of Winnipeg Blue Bombers made two key lineup changes prior to Wednesday night's Canadian Football League game against Ottawa Rough Riders, and they both turned out sour.

The Eastern Conference Riders took full advantage of first-half Winnipeg mistakes to dump the Bombers 24-13 before 24,385 fans. The outcome enhanced Ottawa's playoff hopes and all but ended Winnipeg's dimming chances.

The loss was Winnipeg's seventh in eight games and leaves them six points behind Edmonton and Calgary, tied for second place in the West.

Spavital released his leading rusher and touchdown scorer, Stan Brown, deciding to go with newcomer Rufus

Ferguson, a five-foot-five, 198-pound back the club hoped would be a carbon copy of Mack Herron.

Ferguson carried six times for a net seven yards. He fumbled once on the Winnipeg 14-yard line in the second quarter and on the next play the Rough Riders had their third touchdown on a pass to Hugh Oldham.

Veteran defensive back Tom Oberg, suffering rib injuries, was placed on recallable waivers so the club could get Ron Coppanbarger, an impressive newcomer, into the lineup.

Ottawa quarterback Rick Cassata promptly threw two touchdown passes over Coppanbarger, both to flanker Oldham, who hauled in two more receptions after beating Coppanbarger.

That was enough for Spavital who pulled the rookie in the third quarter.

The Rough Riders, now 3-4 and tied for third in the East with Hamilton Tiger-Cats, had only 185 yards total offense—about half that of Winnipeg—but thanks to interceptions and the fumble, Cassata didn't have to move far for the touchdowns.

The Ottawa offense had only two drives, one 35-yard march ending in Oldham's first score, and a 58-yard march that set up Gerry Organ's third-quarter field goal.

Organ converted all three touchdowns and kicked a 23-yard field goal.

WESTERN CONFERENCE										
	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.			
Saskatchewan	7	5	3	0	141	123	10			
Edmonton	7	4	3	0	144	129	8			
Calgary	6	4	3	0	124	119	8			
B.C. Lions	6	3	4	0	141	171	6			
Winnipeg	5	3	4	0	132	153	2			

EASTERN CONFERENCE										
	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.			
Toronto	7	5	3	1	133	120	11			
Montreal	7	4	3	0	112	128	7			
Hamilton	6	4	3	0	127	128	7			
Ottawa	7	3	4	0	123	127	8			

Next games: Saturday at Edmonton, Ottawa at Hamilton.

First Quarter
1. Ottawa, touchdown, Oldham on seven-yard pass from Cassata (Organ convert) 5:23.

Second Quarter
2. Ottawa, touchdown, Adams on 80-yard run after punt recovery (Organ convert) 1:43.

3. Ottawa, touchdown, Oldham on 14-yard pass from Cassata (Organ convert) 9:36.

Third Quarter
4. Winnipeg, touchdown, Kraemer on 15-yard pass from Jones 9:28.

5. Ottawa, field goal, Organ from 23 yards 12:31.

Fourth Quarter
6. Winnipeg, touchdown, Bledsoe on one-yard run (McKen convert) 5:40.

Score by quarters:
Ottawa 7 14 3 9-24
Winnipeg 0 0 0 7-7

	OT	First Downs	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Net Yards	Penalties	Time of Possession
Ottawa	13	18	185	185	370	15-40	33:31
Winnipeg	10	15	133	128	261	18-45	29:49

Net offense is yards passing plus yards rushing, minus team punts.

Long Drought Is Over

James Bay Athletic Association Mustangs posted their first victory over Saanich Chew Excavating Hornets in six Vancouver Island Juvenile Football League seasons Wednesday night at Royal Athletic Park.

Utilizing a strong defence, Mustangs downed Hornets 11-6 to move into a first-place tie with Oak Bay Farmer Construction.

Mustang tackle Tom Atkinson paced two key plays.

Atkinson recovered a fumble only 90 seconds after Ed Murray had booted his second long field goal to give Hornets a 6-4 edge early in the final quarter.

After Atkinson fell on the loose ball at mid-field, full-back Bernie Crump broke away on the next play for a 56-yard touchdown run. Bill Galego kicked the conversion to finish scoring for Mustangs.

Galego also contributed a 25-yard field goal in the second quarter and Crump booted a single.

Atkinson recovered another fumble with seconds remaining in the game to prevent a Hornet rally deep in James Bay territory.

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Farmer Const.	2	2	0	53	26	4	
J.B.A.A. Mustangs	3	2	1	33	22	4	
Saanich Chew	3	1	2	54	44	0	
Cowichan	2	0	2	44	44	0	

Next Game: Sunday — Oak Bay vs. Cowichan, Duncan.

ISLAND TENNIS BODY PLANNED

A Vancouver Island Lawn Tennis Association will be formed at a meeting Friday at the Victoria Racquet Club.

Representatives from Victoria, Cowichan, Nanaimo, Port Alberni, Courtenay and Campbell River, in addition to a B.C. Lawn Tennis Association official, will attend the meeting, designed to co-ordinate the game at the competitive level throughout the Island.

Proposals call for more junior and senior tournaments, a junior development program, official rankings and further promotion of the already-extensive parks program.

Election of officials will be held. The meeting starts at 7:30 p.m.

Cougar Coach's Creed—Hit 'Em

By JIM CRERAR
Times Staff

The way Ollie Dorohoy sees it, the shortest distance between Victoria Cougars and a Western Canada Hockey League playoff spot next spring is a straight line over the opposition.

"I favor hard-hitting hockey," said Dorohoy, a former forward in the Western Hockey League who takes over as new coach of the Cougars when the team opens training camp Monday at Memorial Arena.

"I like positional hockey and I like tough hockey," Dorohoy explained Wednesday. "Ninety per cent of the kids nowadays follow that puck but let the man get away. I definitely want my team to play the man."

Sixty-two players have been invited to camp, including 10 holdovers from last season's squad that missed a playoff berth in its second year of WCHL play.

Whether or not Cougars can bodycheck their way to the playoffs, this year remains to be seen, of course, but Dorohoy at least has some size to work with.

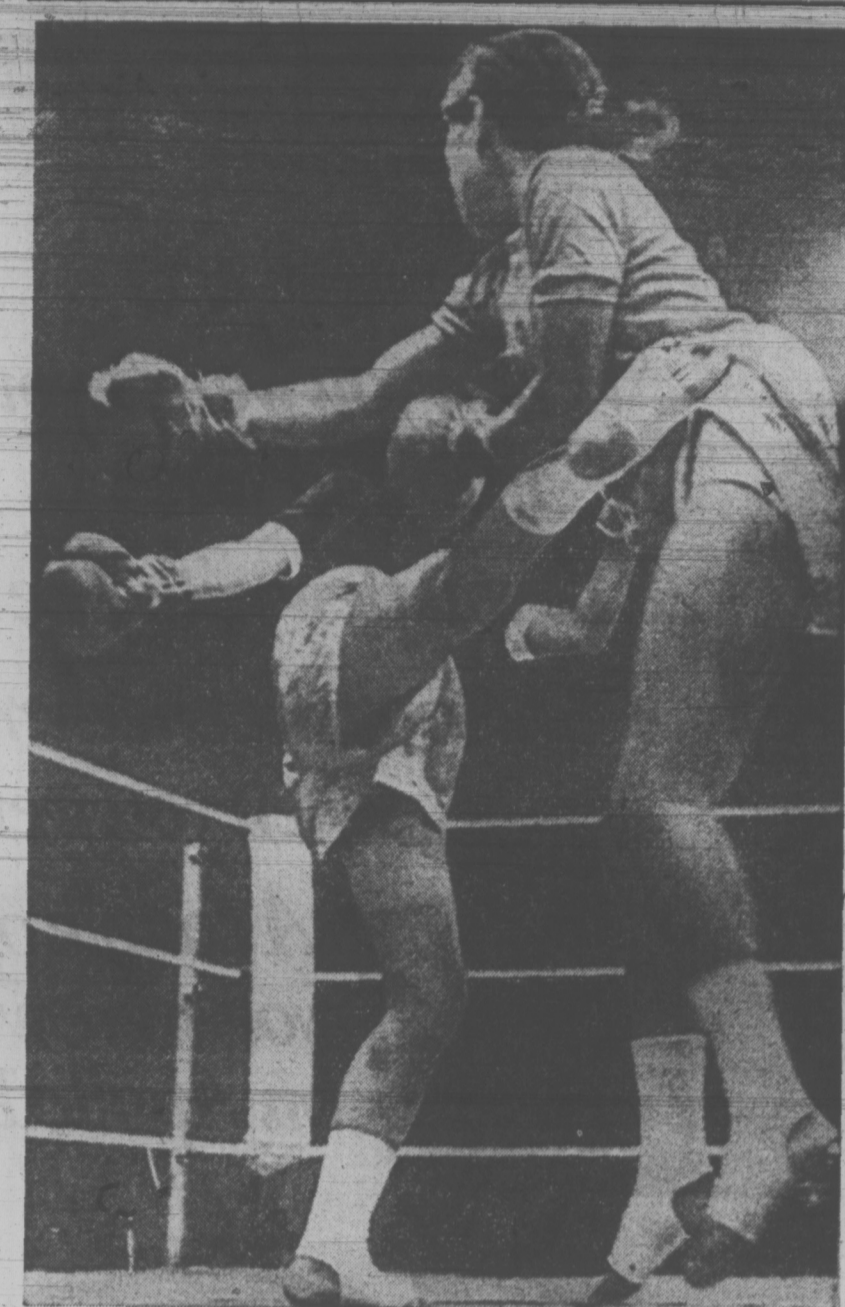
By the time final cuts are made, Dorohoy's hopefuls should average between 175 and 180 pounds, 10 to 15 pounds heavier than last season's squad.

Prospects are for at least six regulars to go over six feet in height and the team will be a year older, about 18.7.

Size and age are no substitutes for talent, but Cougars got some good news concerning one promising player — defenceman Rick Williams.

The best back checker on the team by the end of last season, Williams is reported to have gained 20 pounds — all of them in the right places — during the off-season and should report on the ice at 4:30 Monday afternoon weighing in the neighborhood of 175.

There was some bad news, too, when Cougars learned that Gordie Dumont, who scored 44 goals and 50 assists for Victoria Maple Leafs of the B.C. Junior League last season, has declined an invitation to camp.



SHAPELY LEGS are just as valuable as arms in Thai boxing, in which both feet and fists are used to great effect.

Here, a right leg to the midsection lifts opponent off her feet in girls' exhibition bout in Bangkok, Thailand.

WHA Hits Islanders In \$6 Million Suit

Times News Services
The World Hockey Association and 11 of its member clubs have filed \$6 million antitrust suit in Brooklyn Federal Court against the owners of New York Islanders, a member of the National Hockey League. It was alleged the defendants conspired to monopolize trade and commerce in professional hockey through the enforcement of the reserve clause in player contracts. . . . Detroit Red Wings suffered their first casualty of the NHL training season in Port Huron when a deflected puck broke the jaw of centre Rick Newell. The 24-year-old Winnipeg native, who also lost several teeth, will be sidelined for at least six weeks. . . .

Green Bay veteran Carroll Dale, one of the few remaining members of the Vince Lombardi-built Packer dynasty, has been placed on waivers by the National Football League club. . . .

Heavyweight boxing champion George Foreman has been offered \$1.5 million to defend his title against Jerry Quarry in Seattle. . . . Archie Moore, the former lightweight champion, will be washing windows in a San Diego bakery twice a week.

for the next month after losing a bet on the outcome of the Ken Norton-Muhammad Ali match. . . .

Del Baker Sr., 81, former major-league baseball manager of the Detroit Tigers, died at his home in San Antonio, Tex. Baker guided Tigers for five seasons, winning the American League pennant in 1940. . . . Jim Bouton, former New York Yankee pitcher and

author of the controversial book Fall Four, has been dismissed from an Eyewitness News team of a New York television station. . . . Veteran right-handed pitcher Ray Culp, attempting to make a comeback with Boston Red Sox after undergoing shoulder surgery, says he will retire at the end of the season. . . . Manager Billy Martin has taken over as third-base coach of Texas Rangers after Church Hiller asked to be released for the rest of the season. . . .

Rosemary Casals breezed to an early 6-3, 6-1 victory over Barbara Downs of Alamo,

Calif., Wednesday in the first round of the \$30,000 St. Louis women's international tennis tournament. The 25-year-old San Franciscan, whose \$66,275 in winnings is second only to Margaret Court's \$96,675, dominated the hour-long encounter with 19-year-old Miss Downs. . . . Eric Van Dillen of San Mateo, Calif., was the only one of eight seeded players to survive second-round play in the \$37,500 national hard court championships in Aptos, Calif. He beat Ray Moore of South Africa 6-2, 7-6. . . . Second-seeded Evonne Goolagong of Australia was impressive in winning a 6-1, 6-2, second-round victory over Glynis Coles of Britain in the Charlotte, N.C., \$40,000 women's tourney. . . .

Morris Vallancourt, former head swimming coach in Oakville, Ont., has been signed as head coach of the newly-formed Hyack Swim Club of New Westminster. . . .

A storekeeper in an engineering firm, David Griffiths staked a dollar in the British soccer pool and correctly selected the only seven games in which goals were scored. He received a cheque for the equivalent of \$1.47 million and expects to quit his \$75-a-week job immediately.

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DOUG PEDEN — EDITOR

Poor Throwing, Great Pitching

By Associated Press
"It wasn't my best night with the fastball," said Steve Rogers. "It wasn't my best night with the slider, and it wasn't my best night with the curve."

All the Montreal pitcher could do Wednesday night was throw the ball, hope for the best—and win.

"I guess you could say my pitching was good but my throwing was bad," said the 23-year-old rookie after leading the Expos to a 2-1 victory over St. Louis Cardinals that further confused the National League East Division race.

"I just had to pump myself up," said Rogers, who twice loaded the bases with none out but escaped trouble each time.

"I guess I was a little tight. I probably didn't warm up enough."

While giving up six walks and six hits, Rogers held the Cardinals down long enough for Bob Bailey to deliver the knockout blow—a ninth-inning homer.

The victory, the ninth in 12 decisions for the young right-hander, moved the Expos within one game of the top in the East race.

Pittsburgh Pirates beat Chicago Cubs 4-2 to move into first place by a half-game over the Cardinals and New York Mets nipped Philadelphia Phillies 3-2 to move 2½ games back in fourth place. The Cubs were in fifth, three games behind.

In other games, Cincinnati Reds tripped Los Angeles Dodgers 7-3 and Atlanta Braves whipped San Francisco Giants 10-4.

The Expos and St. Louis are idle tonight, so the Pirates have an opportunity to pad their lead while playing at Chicago. Elsewhere, the Mets are in Philadelphia, Los Angeles is at Houston and San Diego Padres at home against the Giants.

The 6-foot-2 Rogers, called up to the majors less than two months ago, worked out of bases-loaded jams in the first inning, after the Cardinals scored their run, and in the seventh.

The Expos scored their first run in the fifth on Tim Lincecum's single, a sacrifice by Rogers and Larry Lintz's base hit over second baseman Ted Sizemore's glove.

Then Bailey slugged his 24th homer leading off the ninth to settle it.

Seattle Posts Win

Times News Services
SEATTLE — The host Seattle Pay 'N Pak team, champion of the Northwest International Fastball League this season, stayed alive in the U.S. National Fastpitch Softball Championship by beating Taunton, Mass., 3-1.

In other games, Salt Lake City eliminated Aurora, Ill., 2-1; Missouri ousted Virginia 3-0; Minnesota knocked out the U.S. Armed Forces 4-1.

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Title Magic In the Air

By Associated Press

There is magic in the American League air these brisk September days and almost all of it is centred in Baltimore and Oakland where the Orioles and Athletics are beginning to count.

The Orioles swept a Wednesday two-night doubleheader from Milwaukee Brewers 4-1 and 5-3, reducing their number for clinching the East Division title to 12. Any combination of Baltimore victories and-or Boston Red Sox defeats totalling a dozen, puts the Orioles in the playoffs.

Oakland's favorite digit right now is 13. That's what it will take to win the West for the Athletics after they dropped a 5-0 decision to Kansas City Royals.

Elsewhere Wednesday night, Boston defeated New York Yankees 7-1, Texas Rangers beat Minnesota Twins 5-2 and California Angels edged Chicago White Sox 6-5. Cleveland Indians and Detroit Tigers were not scheduled.

An abbreviated schedule today has Boston in New York, Milwaukee at Bal-

timore and California at home to the Royals.

Oakland has led the West race since Aug. 16, just two days after Baltimore took over first place in the East. Both teams hold comfortable leads as the baseball season heads into its final 2½ weeks.

Baltimore's East lead stretched to six games over Boston with the sweep against the Brewers.

Jim Palmer won his 20th game in the opener, marking the fourth straight year he's reached that measure of pitching excellence. Rich Coggins drove in two of the Orioles runs and stole two bases in the opener.

Then the rookie outfielder tripled, touching off a two-run Oriole rally that broke an eighth-inning tie and completed the sweep.

Carl Yastrzemski drove in five runs with a pair of homers and unbeaten Rogelio Moret won his 11th game of the season, pitching for Boston against the Yankees. Ron Swoboda connected for the Yankees, giving New York its only run in 31 1-3 innings this season against Moret.

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Son of last year's Clipper coach, Buddy Dumont, Gordie has apparently decided to limit his hockey activities in favor of devoting more time to completing grade 12.

His father, who left Nanaimo to become associated with the Victoria Maple Leafs of the newly formed Pacific Coast International Junior League,

said the decision was left entirely to Gordie.

Other returnees are goaltenders Danny Rogers and Perry Mulhall, defencemen Kim Clackson, Cal Kitching and Rick LaPointe and forwards Don Dazaidyk, Al McLaren, Ron Pool and Brad Richardson. Pool, a centre, led Cougar scorers after moving up from Nanaimo last January.

Two other players with WCHL experience, left winger Brad Anderson and right winger Glen Ing, will be in Cougar camp. Both in their draft year, they were picked up from Regina Pats along with 18-year-old Ron Reinhart in a deal that sent Dave Faulkner to the Pats.

Tier Two Junior "A" acquisitions in the off-season include Mark Lomenda, 19, who scored 52 goals and 66 assists with Alberta Junior champion Calgary Canuck; centre Derek Haas, 18, Alberta League rookie-of-the-year with The Pass Red Devils; goalie Glen Beckert, MVP with Penticon Broncos in the B.C. Junior League.

As expected, several members from last season's Nanaimo Clippers, first-place finishers in the BCJHL, will be on hand. These include

Bert's Big Sister Started Him on Brilliant Career

THE SOCCER SCENE

By Max Low

Twin sisters shouldn't be bigger.

It's not good for a boy's ego. And then, perhaps it depends which way you look at it.

Bert Mozley's twin sister, Beryl, was bigger than he was right from the start — and it made him mad.

So, one day when Bert was 14, he got his father to bring home from work a 53-pound coal weight and thus began a program of body building and exercising that he has never let lapse.

From a puny lad, Bert Mozley grew to a strapping youth and on into a powerfully-built man who was destined to become known as the fastest recovery fullback of his era in the English Football League. Always a health nut, Bert won a Mr. Physical Fitness title for Western Canada in 1966 and, in 1968 at the age of 45, added the Mr. Calgary crown — although he was "20 years older than the guy who was second."

Now a fit 50 and looking years younger (he sticks to a low-fat diet and runs two miles a day) Bert and his wife Jean have moved to the coast and have bought a home overlooking Esquimalt Lagoon.

Mozley began his soccer with Shelton United, a little

Derbyshire amateur club, but it wasn't long before he was noticed.

He was signed by Derby County on Sept. 23, 1945, just after the first division club had won the FA Cup.

After just two games in the reserve team, Bert joined players like Raich Carter and Peter Doherty in Derby County's first team and he stayed there for 10 years. He was captain for five of those years.

In a soccer-mad nation like England, only the very best get to play for their country. And Bert Mozley was one of those — one of the very best. He played right-back in the famous 1947-48 team alongside such greats as Stanley Matthews, Tom Finney, Tommy Lawton, Frank Swift and Billy Wright.

When he wasn't playing soccer, Bert turned out each weekend in the off-season for the Derby football club's cricket team, which was unbeaten in five years.

In 1950, Mozley toured Canada with an England team that also included Matthews. The squad played right across the country, including a match against the Victoria All-Stars, and won everything except its 1-1 tied game with the B.C. All-Stars in Vancouver.

It was in B.C. that Bert Mozley's desire to live in Canada was kindled. In Vancouver, he met George Davis, who had played for Derby County in 1901. Subsequently, that led to a meeting with Davis' son Art, the owner of several hotels in Calgary. When Art Davis visited England later he offered Mozley a job managing Calgary's Royal Hotel.

"I went straight home and told my wife we're going to Canada," Bert smiled.

A crowd of 30,000 sang Auld Lang Syne when Bert made his farewell appearance for Derby against Notts County.

"It was quite touching and a fine ending — we won!"

Mozley managed the Royal Hotel from 1955 until 1962 when he started a little furniture and upholstery business which his two married daughters now run for him.

In the evenings, he worked as a physical education instructor at Gordon Fogg's Athletic Club and thus began a long connection with the Calgary Stampede's Canadian Football League club.

Jim Finks, then Stampede general manager, invited Mozley to attend training camp and, for a brief moment, he became the first soccer-style place-kicker in Canadian pro football.

He didn't make the team. He had to be classed as an American import (quite something with his broad Derbyshire accent) and was felt then that there wasn't enough accuracy with soccer-style kicking.

Bert played soccer for the Caledonian Club, for Calgary, for Alberta and for Canada. While playing for Canada against Russia, Mozley got the only goal in a 2-1 defeat when his cannonball shot from the penalty spot sent the goalkeeper tumbling backwards into the net.

Bert has always taken his weightlifting seriously and believes it was responsible for



BERT MOZLEY
... in Victoria now

keeping him free of injury during his soccer career.

In 1953, he won a physical health and strength competition in London and Derby County manager Jack Barker was upset.

"It was believed then that weightlifting would make players muscle-bound," Bert said. "But it wasn't long before Barker bought weights for Derby players to use and now all the English clubs have them."

From 1968 to 1961, Mozley was Alberta weightlifting champion in both Olympic-weight and power lifting in the middle-heavyweight class.

Now, after 17 years in Calgary, Bert and his wife have been attracted by "the weather and the fishing" to Victoria, where he hopes to combine employment in the health education line with soccer coaching.

Roadrunner Rally Fails

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP) — Peterborough PCOs defeated Richmond Roadrunners 10-9 Wednesday in the third game of the Minto Cup junior lacrosse final to take a 2-1 lead in the best-of-seven series.

The fourth game will be played here Friday night with a fifth game here Saturday.

It was a dull contest until the 19:32 mark of the second period when Richmond embarked on a comeback that almost won the game.

Two fast goals by Bob Tasker at 19:32 and Tom Penway 15 seconds later snapped Richmond out of the doldrums and brought the club to within two goals of Peterborough, coasting along with a 7-3 lead.

Richmond scored in the third period after only 21 seconds, then Peterborough goalie Fred Gardner picked up a delay-of-game penalty at 3:40 of the final period.

Bob Tasker scored his second goal of the game to tie the score at 7-7. Peterborough then went ahead on goals by Steve Plunkett and Stan Jonathon, but Richmond came back to score while, short-handed at 11:32 to make it close.

Guy Legault then scored what proved to be the winning goal for Peterborough at 15:59 on a nice play with Brian Evans. Richmond scored one more goal on a power play with Peterborough's Stan Jonathon sitting in the penalty box after a holding penalty.

Richmond then pulled goalie John Lewis for an extra attacker but failed to score.

Peterborough coach Ben Floyd was pleased with the victory and happy that Richmond managed only one good period of lacrosse. He said his team is fortunate to be ahead in the series as the PCOs have been getting only average goal tending.

Bob Wasson, Plunkett and Moe Jodoin scored two goals each for Peterborough with singles going to Jonathon, Le-

gault, Ken Byers, and Jan Magee.

Rico Bellucci recovered quickly from torn ankle muscles to get three goals and three assists for Richmond. Tasker scored two goals for Richmond while Penway, Taki Vohalis, Ron Pinder and John Gamble added singles.

Two-Goal Effort Sparks SFU

BURNABY (CP) — Inside left Ken Whitehead scored two goals Wednesday night as Simon Fraser University defeated Hungarian Turuls, 4-2, in the university team's opening game of the British Columbia Soccer League.

Outside right Joe Merello opened the scoring for SFU on the five-minute mark. Whitehead's two goals came at the 10-minute and 30-minute marks and center-half Glen Hilder made it 4-0 at 41 minutes.

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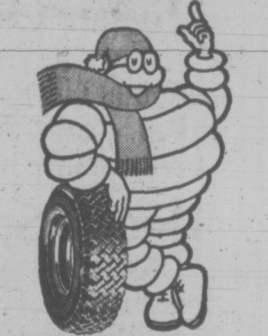
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Victoria's First Peek At New Loop Saturday

Victoria fans get a chance to see teams from the new B.C. Soccer League in action for the first time Saturday when London Boxing Club takes on Vancouver Greek Olympics at 2 p.m. at Royal Athletic Park.

Boxing Club, which has joined forces with Victoria West-United, will field virtually the same side United had in the Pacific Coast League last season.

But a new face will be that of Kjeld Brodsgard, the Boxing Club's Victoria and District League champion goalkeeper last year.

Making up the rest of the team, led by playing-coach Ron Thompson, will be Howie Anderson, Ken Ross, Peter Roberts, Brian Robinson, Jim Irvine, Dean Stokes, Tom Forrester, George Pakos and Jan Bentley.

Bill Barr is the Boxers' manager and the trainer is Dave Swanbeck.

The B.C. League is an amalgamation of the Pacific Coast, Mainland and Inter-County Leagues.

Greek Olympics, coached by Joe Molnar and managed by John Kerasiotis, will field most of their former Mainland League team plus Rick Gunn, formerly with North Shore United, and three ex-University of British Columbia players.

The Olympics made an impressive start to the season in Vancouver last weekend when they edged in a 2-1 thriller by the former Canadian-champion Westminster Blues.

Victoria Gorge Molsons also open their B.C. League campaign Saturday with a match against UBC Thunderbirds at UBC — but they have been experiencing pre-season problems.

The main problem is that Molsons have no one to start in goal.

Graham Lee, the club's outstanding goalie who has played for Canada, leaves Saturday for a stay in Australia and, as yet, Molsons haven't replaced him.

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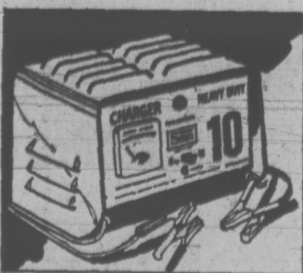
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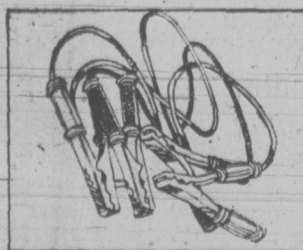
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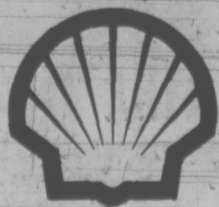
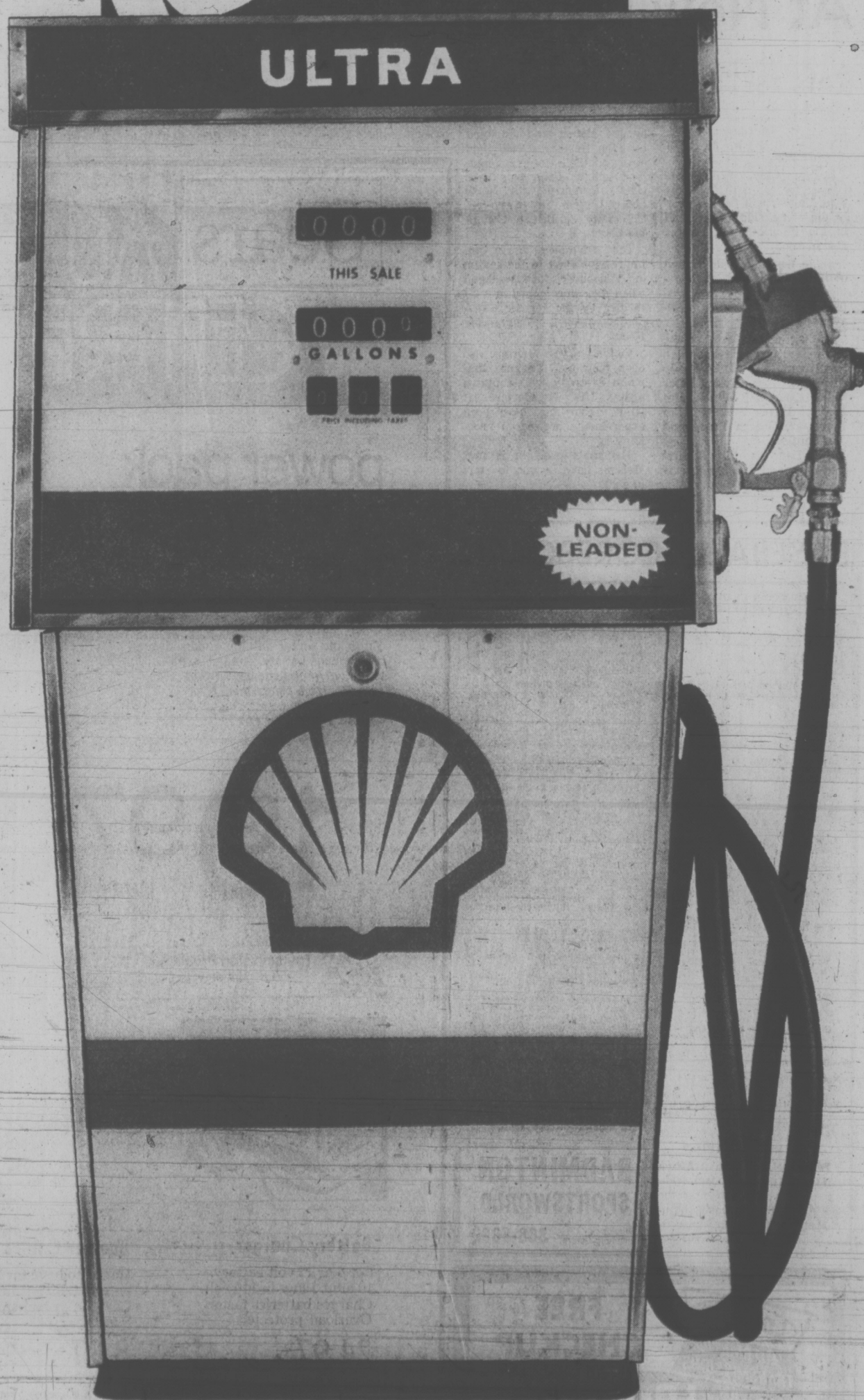
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'Back Alley' Acupuncture Warning

PRINCE GEORGE (GP) — Acupuncture in Canada will be "driven into back alleys" if health officials do not soon determine how it can be used in a medically-oriented situation, says Dr. George Elliot, British Columbia deputy minister of health.

In Prince George, addressing the annual meeting of the Associated Boards of Health of B.C., Dr. Elliot said that letters from people urging the department of health to "get on" with acupuncture far outstrip letters requesting more public health nurses, inspectors or increased laboratory services.

"There is no question in the minds of most of us that in the field of analgesic, acupuncture is useful," he said.

The deputy minister of health said that of the thousands of letters received by B.C. Health Minister Dennis Cocke concerning acupuncture, not one has been received condemning it.

Dr. Elliot said that a special committee composed of an anaesthetist, a neurosurgeon, and an internist from the College of Physicians and Surgeons of B.C., an MLA and a representative of the health branch have been meeting regularly to discuss methods of putting acupuncture into the realm of everyday medical practice.

One of the difficulties encountered by the board, said Dr. Elliot, is identifying "just who is an acupuncturist." He said that a request arranged through the Chinese embassy in Ottawa to get acupuncturists from the Peking Academy of Medicine was turned down.

Dr. Elliot said that the only man in the province who legally practices acupuncture — a licensed osteopath — charges from \$10 to \$15 for a visit for his services and is booked ahead for 12 to 15 months.

The deputy minister of health said that his department plans to introduce acupuncture in a clinical setting under the direction of specialists who deal in the field of pain anaesthesia.

"The committee has now determined that there is no way to determine who is qualified and who is not. It is just not possible to make such decisions from documents presented. It therefore has to be trial and error and we hope to proceed in this manner," he said.

HEARING AID DEALERS RAP SASK. GOV'T

REGINA (CP) — The Saskatchewan Hearing Aid Dealers Association has launched an attack on the provincial government's program of selling hearing aids at low cost.

A provincial official said that hearing aids which private dealers sell for \$275 to \$350 are being sold by the province for \$15 to \$110.

But a statement from the association says that assertion is not true.

The statement also says:

"The very fact that the government has seen fit to appropriate hundreds of thousands of dollars from the public treasury to cover the cost of the services previously provided by the hearing aid dealers proves that these services cannot be provided for nothing."

"The private dealers have not been gouging the public; if such were the case, the government plan would not need to raid the public treasury to the extent they are."

Association president J. R. Germain said in an interview that any hearing aids sold by the government for \$15 are comparable with low-quality devices sold by private dealers for \$50.

Germain also said that dealers consider servicing of each hearing aid after purchase costs about as much as the manufacturing cost.

While the government charge covers only for the cost of the hearing aid, he said, a dealer's price covers replacement of parts and adjustments for the life of the device.

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London Parley Seen as Key To Sea Cleanup

VANCOUVER (CP) — A Canadian scientist says a United Nations sponsored conference in London next month could provide the key to cleaning up pollution in the world's oceans and waterways.

Dr. Alan Walton, of the Bedford Institute of Oceanography in Dartmouth, N.S., says the London meeting represents the first international effort toward stopping deterioration of marine environment.

Dr. Walton, along with speakers from the oil industry and the United States Environmental Protection Agency, was addressing a forum at the annual conference of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers.

The most ominous aspect of the three-hour forum was the acceptance by all speakers of the inevitability of a major oil spill occurring sometime in the future.

In his address, Dr. Walton described the forthcoming conference as "a compromise between environmental aspirations and the capabilities of shipping technology."

He said the conference will bring together the 74 national signatories to the International Maritime Consultative Organization in a month-long probe into all forms of marine pollution arising from shipping operations.

The main objective of the conference will be to achieve by 1975, or the end of the decade, the complete elimination of willful and intentional pollution of the sea and the minimizing of accidental spills.

To that end, he said, a

clean-up charter will be presented to all attendant governments for their discussion and signature.

The charter, two years in preparation, will mean that water pollution arising from the discharge of garbage, sewage, liquid noxious chemicals and oil will be controlled by international regulations.

Among the proposals embodied in the charter will be regulations controlling the design and construction of ships, including a provision for segregated ballast tanks and double-bottomed hulls.

Dr. Walton said other provisions will limit the permissible volume of oil discharged from vessels at sea, prohibit the discharge of plastic materials and set minimum shore distances for other materials.

Enforcement of the regulations would be carried out by inspectors, charged with the right to board vessels, and the requirement that all vessels keep detailed records, he said.

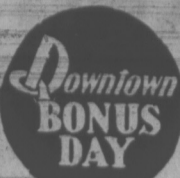
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A local campaign to restock the dangerously low blood bank of the Red Cross produced 210 donors in Victoria Tuesday.

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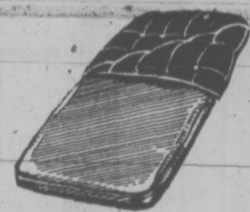
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Sen. Molgat Expected to Head Liberals

By VICTOR MACKIE
Times Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA — Senator Gildas Molgat of Manitoba is expected to win the presidency of the National Liberal Federation when the Liberal party holds its convention here commencing Friday.

The 46-year-old former Manitoba Liberal party leader is highly favored to win the top executive post in the hierarchy of the party a post now occupied by Senator Richard Stanbury of Toronto.

Well aware of the Liberal party's present weaknesses in the west the party organiza-

tion hopes that election of a westerner to the presidency will help in rebuilding its strength in that part of the country.

The balloting for the executive posts will be by secret ballot as will the voting on whether or not the more than 2,000 delegates favor an early leadership convention. That ballot will take the form of a vote of confidence or non-confidence in the leadership of Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau.

Trudeau's leadership is not expected to be seriously challenged at the convention.

There were some Liberals after the outcome of the October election who suggested that perhaps the time had come for Trudeau to step down.

The prime minister however has done such a wonderful job of walking the tightrope of minority government and surviving in parliament that he has regained the support of many Liberals. Even those who would like to see a change realize that the ever-present threat of a general election makes a shift in leadership at this time out of the question.

Unemployment, inflation, strikes, the rising cost of living and oil are all subjects that will occupy much of the time of the delegates at the three day convention. The voting on the executive and on whether a leadership convention should be held takes place Sunday, the last day.

The prime minister and members of his cabinet will be available for cross-examination by the delegates at question and answer panel sessions.

The recent decision of the cabinet to encourage the construction of an oil pipeline to Montreal will come in for criticism from Quebec delegates.

There is strong opposition among Quebec provincial Liberals to such a pipeline on the grounds that it will put an end to the Quebec Liberal government's plans to establish a refinery and port facilities using supplies of Venezuelan oil and oil from the Middle East.

An Atlantic Policy Co-ordinating Committee has been set up by the Atlantic provinces. It will submit its proposals to the Atlantic delegates Friday at a special caucus.

The convention will receive the resolutions adopted at the

Western Liberal Policy conference held in Vancouver early in July. Delegates from British Columbia want to see greater decentralization of decision making by government and more attention paid to by the cabinet to suggestions emanating from outside Ottawa.

Alberta delegates are expected to take a strong position against the federal cabinet's freeze on prices of petroleum products.

Manitoba is expected to produce resolutions advocating selective controls on prices through consumer subsidies along with many other proposals.

Saskatchewan delegates will reiterate their freight rate complaints voiced at the western conference in Vancouver.

There will be demands from the prairie provinces for detailed explanations of the federal government's ceiling and floor price program for wheat. Delegates representing the prairie farmer will protest that the goods farmers have to buy do not have a price ceiling whereas wheat is to be placed under a ceiling.

There will be 10 policy workshops held during Friday, the first day of the convention. The subject areas of

the workshops are:

Agricultural economy and rural life, Canadian identity, the economy and industrial relations, fisheries and marine resources, industrial and resource development, regional development, the individual and government, the livable city, transportation and finally work and social play.

Two policy plenary sessions have been scheduled for Saturday.

"Action Report 1970-73" will be made available to each delegate. The document outlines the Liberal government's actions on the 1970 resolutions. The party claims the government's record in relation to the 1970 resolutions is an "excellent one". It con-

tends that out of the 340 resolutions voted on by delegates in 1970 some 297 have become part of the Liberal government's record.

Friday night there is a reception and dance in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Trudeau at the Skyline hotel. The regular daily sessions of the convention will be held in the Chateau Laurier.

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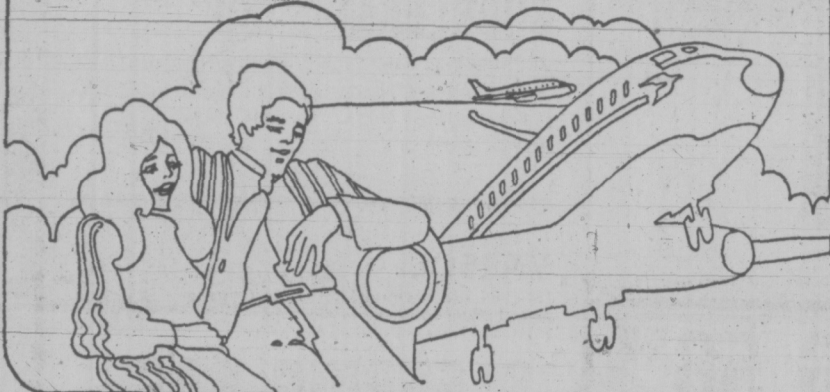
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WINNIPEG (CP) — A proposal to give provinces equal representation in the senate and to provide for the election of senators, will be put forward by the Manitoba delegation this weekend at the national Liberal convention in Ottawa.

Manitoba Liberal Leader Izzy Asper told a news conference Wednesday the proposals will be included in about 20 key resolutions.

About 180 delegates are expected to attend from Manitoba and Asper said Western Liberals will vote as a block on issues concerning the West.

He said the West has been concerned for some time that its voice is not being heard. One solution to that would be reform of Parliament to give provinces equal representation in the senate.

The Manitoba resolution also asks that the Yukon and Northwest Territories be given senate representation and that any future vacancies be filled by elections rather than appointment.

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50TH VICTORIA PACK Brownies are shown a Maori stick game called Tirakau by Cathy Clarke, far left. This particular historical game of skill was used by Maori tribes to

teach acute dexterity to their young boys. Left to right, Cathy, Marie Anderson, Sharon Stout and Valerie Hinchcliffe — all taking a crack at trying the ancient art.

Cub, Brownie Share Treat

Not many Brownies and Cubs have the opportunity of visiting their sisters and brothers in the organization of Guiding and Scouting when they go travelling.

But Cathy Clarke, a Brownie of 50th Victoria Pack and her brother Christopher, a Cub with 9th Camosun Pack, and their parents visited relatives in New Zealand this summer.

Did Kathy and Chris leave their uniforms at home? Certainly not! This trip to New Zealand became a wonderful chance to meet many new friends, enjoy outings, story-telling, "sausage-sizzles" and even work on badges.

Cathy was made an honorary member of the 51st Walkto Pack in Hamilton and was presented with the Brownie World Pin. This pin may be worn out of uniform wherever she may be.

Cathy also brought home many "swaps" — traded badges and insignia, very popular in Guiding and Scouting.

Christopher had as much enjoyment, including instruction in photography which earned him his Photographer's badge. He also enjoyed swimming, cook-outs in leaders' backyards, and again, wonderful "swaps".

Cathy and Chris have had a grand chance, one they will surely cherish.

Since arriving back home the two youngsters have been kept busy relating their experiences to friends and teachers at school — as well as fellow Cubs and Brownies.



CHRISTOPHER CLARKE of 9th Camosun Pack, shows fellow cubs a real treasure, that of a model Maori war canoe, made of tatra wood and inlaid with paua shell. Stuart Vander-

Hock is holding a Maori warrior's headband, which Chris found after a canoe race. Front row also includes Peter Curran. Back row left to right, Steven Loges and David Beaton.

Pensions Reflect Rights Advances

By JEAN SHARP

For years, a few women's groups have been crying in the wilderness about inequities in pension plans without attracting much attention.

A woman, they said, should be eligible to join a plan on the same basis as a man and not months or years later.

She should be eligible for benefits on the same basis, in terms of pay scale and time employed.

She should retire at the same age as a man, and not at age 60. She is statistically likely to live longer. She may get a lower pension than a man in an equivalent situation. She should have the opportunity to earn her full pay as long as a man.

She should be able to assign pension benefits to a spouse without having to prove he is dependent. Men need not prove their wives' financial dependence.

A Cross-Canada Survey by The Canadian Press indicates changes are beginning to come, for a number of reasons. There are more women in the work force than ever before. There is an emphasis on human rights generally as well as women's rights particularly. There is an increasing social concern for the welfare of the elderly.

There was also a practical impetus when the Canada Pension Plan came into effect. Changes were made in private plans to match or mesh with its provisions.

Nova Scotia and Alberta now have legislation to end discrimination in pension con-

ditions. New Brunswick has two pension studies under way and Ontario has a committee looking at the question.

The arguments centre on money, on cost and need. To work, pension plans must enrol as many eligible people as possible. Insurance companies maintain women have been unwilling to pay the cost because they did not expect to stay in the work force until retirement.

In 1972, the Manitoba Human Rights Commission issued a review of insurance and pension plans in the light of the Human Rights Act.

It urged employers to establish "employment practices which further the principles of equality of opportunity and treatment."

The Canadian Life Insurance Association replied that the "historical" grounds for disparities still hold. For instance, a widow is assumed to need her husband's pension. A widower is assumed to be self-supporting unless he can demonstrate dependency.

On the other side, the Ontario committee on the status of women contended in a brief to the Ontario committee that such assumptions are outmoded.

The brief said that in 1971, women were 32.8 per cent of the work force. Of these, 43 per cent were separated, divorced, widowed or single and many of the remaining 57 per cent presumably work because their families need the money.

David Howe, an actuary with William Mercer in

Toronto, sees no problem in setting reasonable guidelines for giving women completely equal treatment and providing some options, provided they are willing to join plans and pay on an equivalent basis.

Howe said he is concerned that in pursuit of an ideal of equality, legislation might be passed that would make it impossible to offer any options in terms of types of plan.

Elizabeth Neville, director of the Ontario Women's Bureau, said flexibility is one of the problems concerning the provincial committee. Its report is expected in the fall.

The Alberta legislature dealt with one of the issues recently by passing an amendment requiring mandatory participation in the public service pension plan by married women who are full-time employees.

Alberta has two acts that prohibit discrimination, based on sex or marital status, the Individual's Rights Protection Act and the Pension Benefits Act. Complaints go before the industrial relations board.

Nova Scotia passed comprehensive legislation last spring. George McCurdy, human rights commissioner, said they need not wait for a complaint. They can investigate wherever they believe discrimination might exist.

No other provinces have legislation dealing specifically

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with pension disparities, but there are stirrings of interest in some.

Kathleen Ruff said British Columbia has had its first official complaint on such inequalities, and an investigation is pending.

"This is one of the under-cover areas of discrimination, very subtle. This area needs a lot of work."

She is director of the human rights branch in the labor department, and says B.C.'s general human rights legislation covers sex discrimination.

The New Brunswick government's current studies of pension plans include a look at how they are affected by sex and marital status. They should be complete in about a year.

Mansell Crozer, superin-

She said the Provincial Council of Women has presented a brief to the cabinet asking for changes in all employment-related fringe benefits to ensure they are not adversely affected by sex or marital status.

Fred Coates, human rights director in Newfoundland, said the labor department must wait for complaints before it can take any action. He said he considers many plans discriminatory, and is interested in the work in other provinces.

In P.E.I., human rights legislation does not cover sex discrimination. Marlene Clark, co-ordinator for the provincial status of women committee, said complaints have been heard about pension plans but that most women's rights efforts in the province are aimed at getting a uniform minimum wage.

Marcel Lesieur said that in Quebec many compulsory company pension plans require women to retire at 60.

He said the plans are largely equal otherwise and that there has been little effort to have them change. Mr. Lesieur is in the supplementary pension plan branch of the social affairs department.

Federal Labor Minister John Munro has promised a review of the government's own Superannuation Act, after a recommendation by the Status of Women Advisory Council.

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Cupboard in Spare Room Easily Turned to Alcove

By PAULINE GRAVES

When you are fortunate enough to have an extra room, make the most of the available space. Instead of handling this room as a storeroom, a catch all for odds and ends, put it to work as a study, a guest room or a room for hobbies, and take advantage of every inch of space.

Such a room is shown here, by interior designer Carole Eichen. Although labelled a bedroom on the floor plan, the room could be converted to any purpose, and the owners opted for a study, with a convertible sofa. However, the small size of the room precluded using two large furniture pieces without crowding the available space. The wardrobe closet provided the answer.

KOUDOUGOU, Upper Volta (Reuter) — The little African boy stood in the clearing, clad only in his shorts under the late afternoon sun, and turned smiling.

"De Gaulle? His car is just arriving," he said, pointing at a dusty and battered old Citroën Deux Chevaux as it pulled into the yard.

With the sun hitting his eyes and preventing him from seeing clearly, the visitor squinted — half-incredulously — at a hulking figure with a vaguely familiar silhouette emerged from behind the wheel.

The illusion was nearly perfect as Rev. Francois de Gaulle, nephew of the late French leader and a Roman Catholic missionary in this small town in central Africa, extended his hand in greeting. "Welcome to Koudougou mission," he said, smiling as he stood in his long khaki robe and jungle boots, sleeves rolled up high over tanned forearms.

Father de Gaulle, or "Le Pere Degolo" as he is known in the area, is one of 3,800 members of the White Fathers' missionary congregation in Africa who have had to adapt to changing conditions as new independent nations emerge on the continent.

Though voluntarily isolated from the public eye, de Gaulle, 52, is not totally un-

known to the outside world.

His tall silhouette was seen on television screens and in newspapers around the world when he conducted the funeral service of his illustrious uncle in the little church of Colombes-Deus-Eglises in eastern France in November, 1970.

In accordance with family tradition, Father de Gaulle shuns all publicity and few of the isolated villagers know he is related to the man who granted their country its independence and whose features adorn many of its postage stamps.

He retains all the distinction of the old-world host and the visitor inquiring about life of missionaries in the developing Africa of the 1970s is pressed into accepting an invitation for an evening meal.

At the thick wooden table set in the mission yard, which is lit by crude oil lamps, are the other mission members. 45-year-old Father Frairey, a muscular and bearded French priest, and a young dark-eyed and curly-headed Spanish missionary.

And there are Father de Gaulle's own nephew Jacques, a medical student from Tours in western France, and one of his classmates, who are spending their summer holidays helping in Koudougou hospital.

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DEAR ABBY: I am desperately in need of someone to confide in. I am an 18-year-old girl whose parents were divorced two years ago. I am living with my father who has recently started dating an attractive young girl. She is 21, and my father is 41.

My problem is that this girl has been making passes at my boy friend when my father is not around. She is so obvious. I have noticed it myself.

My father is very much in love with this girl and is even contemplating marriage. He is very wealthy, and it is my gut feeling that this girl is just after his money.

How can I warn my father without destroying his ego? — Nameless.

DEAR NAMELESS: You can't. Love is voluntarily blind. If your suspicions are correct, you can only hope your father catches on before he gets hooked.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 16-year-old girl with a big problem. My favorite cousin is getting married in two months and my parents won't let me go to the wedding unless I take off 10 pounds! That is an awful lot to lose in two months, but my mother said she talked to the doctor and he said I could do it if I tried. Abby, I would have to live on practically nothing to lose all that weight in two months. I'm afraid I would get so weak I couldn't do as well in school, etc.

I have enough money in the bank to fly to the wedding which is across the country, but my parents say I can't go at all unless I lose 10 pounds, and if I do, they will buy my ticket.

Why are people so prejudiced against overweight people? It's as if we weren't even human.

Are my parents being unfair to me, Abby? I just have to go to that wedding. I pray a lot and it makes me feel better but it doesn't get me there. Please help me. — Haribroken.

DEAR HEARTBROKEN: Five pounds a month is not too much to lose, and if the doctor says you can do it, you should try. Quit looking for excuses why you can't, and start on a diet right now and you'll make it. Good luck.

DEAR ABBY: I get so riled up when I read those pathetic letters signed, "Neglected Mother," or "Forgotten Father." They are from old folks who are not wanted by their children. Abby, I wonder if

they have ever stopped to ask themselves why?

One day, many years ago, I came home from work and found my four children watching TV. When I poked my head into the room, they didn't even say hello. I was hurt and angry. Then I said to myself: "You fool! If you can't make yourself more interesting than that damned TV set, it's your own fault."

I admit, I used a bit of bribery in the form of peppermint candy and a few minor toys, but within a few days when I entered the house, there were hoots and hollers: "Daddy's home!"

Old people should consider that their loneliness could be caused by themselves. Many are excused for being difficult because of their age. Why? No one has a right to be difficult whether he be young or old. Old age doesn't give one the license to complain all the time (we all have troubles), to talk all the time and reminisce too much (other people like to talk about themselves, too), or to expect constant attention.

Old people should make an effort to be good company. They should also have a hobby, so they can enjoy being alone.

I am 60 years of age, and if I grow old and nobody comes to see me, I hope I am wise enough to realize it's 99 per cent my own fault. — Charlie.

DEAR CHARLIE: Loneliness for you? I'll bet against it.

DEAR ABBY: Is there a way for a couple to be assured they will get the sex

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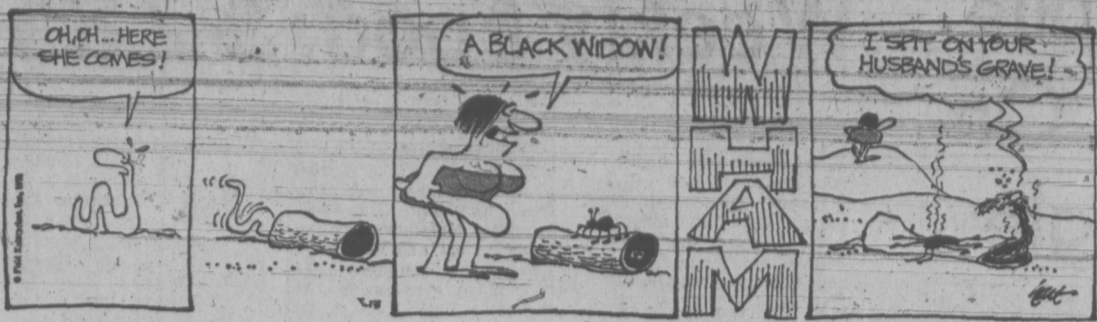
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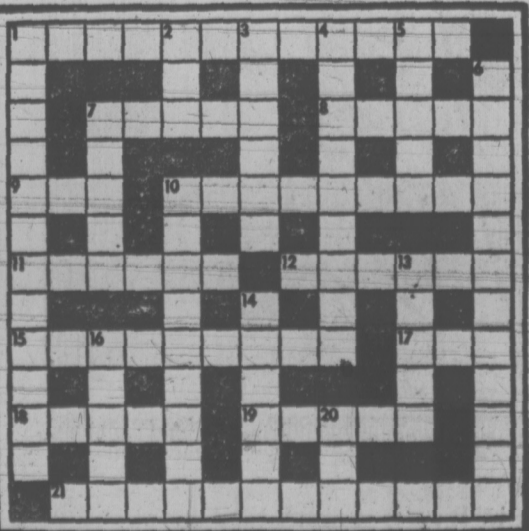


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- CLUES
- ACROSS
- 1 What the moth does becomes apparent (5,2,5)
 - 7 Instrument for amusing artisan (5)
 - 8 Some of the stud ornamentation is Late Perpendicular style (5)
 - 9 More than one hooligan dies after this quarrel (3)
 - 10 Presumably not the main publication (4,5)
 - 11 First-class speed contest for famous aviator (3,3)
 - 12 Glum face when the sergeant-major comes in (6)
 - 15 Shopkeepers need smart rearrangement (9)
 - 17 Sounds like an entrance for the insect (3)
 - 18 A game of golf for the canon (5)
 - 19 The clue needs amending about northern member of the family (5)
 - 21 Peals announcing the nuptials? (7,5)
- DOWN
- 1 Men of note who direct those in the stalls (5,7)
 - 2 Some of the houses outside of little value in France (3)
 - 3 Drove madly over the ring to make oneself exhausted (6)
 - 4 Unreasoned perception in teaching (9)
 - 5 Doesn't reveal the sources of leather (5)
 - 6 Tidy quarters where army discipline is maintained (7,5)
 - 7 A smaller number of people in the cafe we recognized (5)
 - 10 Received what was left and did well (9)
 - 13 Disease carrier smaller than a dwarf (5)
 - 14 Vehemently oppose a mischief-maker with ugly looking gun (6)
 - 16 A smart kind of accent (5)
 - 20 Transport that causes endless anxiety (3)



SOLUTION FRIDAY

GARDENING hilda beastall

Have a Yucca-Do, Prune Pathways

Yucca, no matter how the name is pronounced, symbolizes the dry sunny deserts of California, Mexico, Nevada, or wherever you may have noticed it growing.

That yuccas not only grow but flower profusely here on the Island is one of the natural miracles of this area. We see them in sandy coastal gardens, on hillside sites where homes cling precariously to rock ledges and we find them as the accent plant in front of homes in the city alongside entrance paths.

It is the pathside yucca which needs scrutinizing now. Is it likely to outgrow its usefulness if you leave your plant where it is?

In another five years it may need twice the space it now occupies. What about the sharp pointed leaves as they encroach over the path and possibly over the grass on the other side?

Yuccas are like many other plants we like to have in our gardens — fine to look at and quite acceptable in their juvenile stages and if kept under control each year from time of planting.

A juvenile yucca has a clean outline which landscapers use with stone, rockwork, and large pools, but after 10 or 15 years the outline becomes blurred with old growth, the base cluttered with hanging dead leaves, and new growths developing at four or five feet from the ground.

You now have a multiple head instead of one clean ascending line crowned with a five foot stem of faintly lemon scented blooms, perfect in their waxy texture and simplicity of form.

The problem of a neglected yucca can be dealt with by moving it after the cleaning up job, but attack the work on a peaceful fall day with a mind free for the time of worldly problems.

You need tough cotton gloves. You need a small sharp saw to cut out unwanted shoots, and a garden cart for the astonishing mass of stuff which accumulates around the aging yucca trunk.

This discarded material makes a good base for the fall compost heap. Spread it on a patch of turned soil.

Back to the yucca cleaning out — you will find one or more sections having only dead leaves. Find where the section join the trunk, saw it through with a clean cut.

If you are leaving the plant where it is, but a section protrudes over the path cut it off before it grows bigger. The pointed leaves are really dangerous in winter when you least expect it.

Reconditioning old yuccas is not fun, but it is worth the effort, the time and the patience needed for a satisfactory job.

The Bridge Expert

By FRED KARPIN

The word "kibitzer" was incorporated into the English language as a colloquial term in 1929. Its public acceptance was given impetus by a play that opened on Broadway in 1929 called "The Kibitzer." Heading the cast was a young actor named Edward G. Robinson. The late Mr. Robinson's role was to point out to card players in different card games what they should do, and what they should have done.

Dictionaries define the word "kibitzer" as a "spectator at a card game who looks at the players' cards over their shoulders." In the bridge world, which has adopted the "kibitzer" as a natural appendage to a bridge game, an extension of the standard definition has been added: a kibitzer is one who not only watches a bridge game, but one who also has the license to make comments about the bidding and-or play.

There is, however, one major unwritten limit rule concerning the deportment of a kibitzer: he must refrain from making any comments during the bidding or the play.

Today's deal serves as an example of the kibitzer in action.

North-South vulnerable. North deals.

drew trumps and claimed the balance of the tricks.

As the cards were being dealt out for the next deal — with nobody having made any comment regarding the previous deal — the kibitzer chimed in, addressing himself to West: "You could have defeated the contract!" And the kibitzer was right, as the post-mortem analysis revealed.

After cashing the king and ace of hearts, West should have led the jack of hearts (not the queen) to trick three. In East's mind, the impression would now be created that South possessed the heart queen. And, quite naturally, East would ruff the third heart lead with his queen of diamonds.

Declarer would, of course, overruff the queen with the king — and, simultaneously, West's jack of diamonds would be promoted into a winning trick.

Thus it is demonstrated that when important things are overlooked in the heat of battle, an alert kibitzer can serve a useful role.

FUN WITH FIGURES

By J. A. H. HUNTER

Each letter stands for a different digit.

Our STEEL is odd! But that really makes things much easier. What do you make of it?

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(Answer tomorrow).

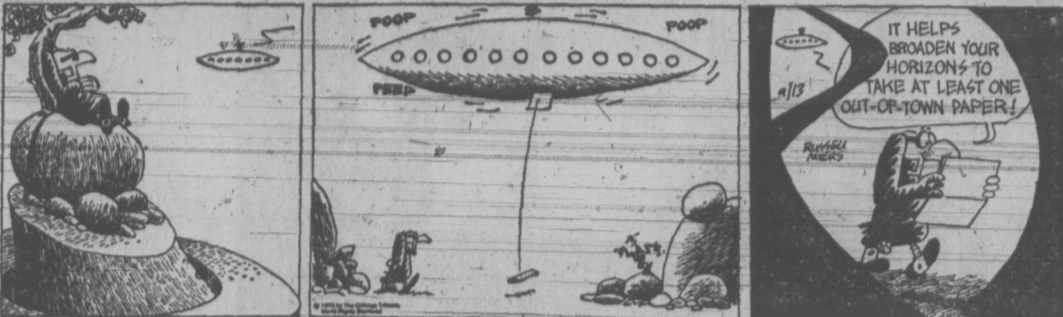
Tower Opened

NAIROBI, Kenya (Reuter) — President Jomo Kenyatta opened black Africa's tallest building Tuesday. The 28-storey circular tower will serve as headquarters for the environmental secretariat of the United Nations.

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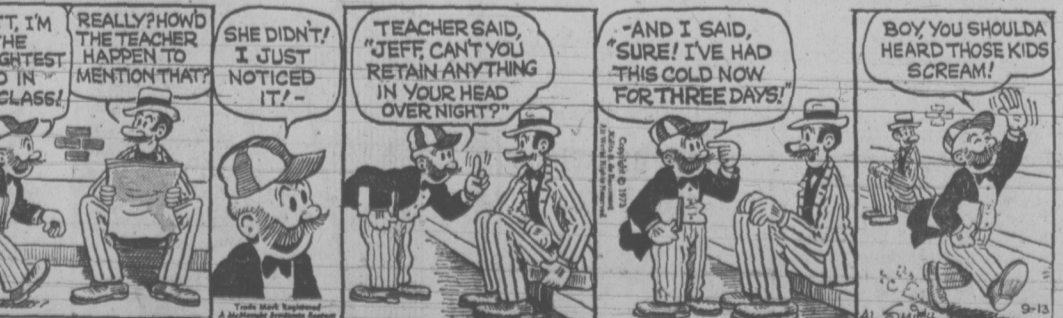
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Province May Run Trailer Parks

Times News Service
PRINCE GEORGE — The provincial government is considering developing mobile home parks, purchasing mobile homes and leasing them to senior citizens in an effort to reduce the cost of living for old-age pensioners, Municipal Affairs Minister James Lorimer said here Wednesday.

He told the Union of British Columbia Municipalities that an earlier-announced grant of \$265,000 to municipalities to help off-set the loss of revenue created by a change in the municipal legislation governing mobile home parks would encourage local governments to build and operate mobile home parks.

At the UBCM convention,

delegates approved a watered-down resolution calling on the provincial government to reconsider proposed legislation requiring disclosure of assets by public officials.

The 700 delegates approved the resolution to be forwarded to the department of municipal affairs.

Ald. Harry Rankin, a Van-

couver lawyer, said the intent of the original resolution was support for provincial disclosure legislation but that the eight originally proposed amendments and one additional amendment, if adopted by the Legislature, would "have us end up with nothing."

"It is a simple enough question — if you don't want to disclose what you hold, then

don't run for office," said Rankin.

Mayor Art Phillips of Vancouver said delegates should "defeat this in public if that is what they want" rather than refer it back to the executive which originally drafted the resolution.

The original resolution supported the principle of official disclosure but said disclosure should not be made "unworkable or impractical."

In addition, it recommended candidates disclose assets at the time of nomination, that the disclosure be made before the attorney-general or a supreme court justice rather than in public, and that the information be made available only to persons showing "just and reasonable cause for requiring such information."

In other resolutions dealt with during the first day of the three-day convention, delegates referred the possible inclusion of Indians from reserves on regional districts to the Union of British Columbia Indian Chiefs for discussion.

The resolution urged both the federal and provincial governments to introduce legislation requiring that one member of a regional board containing one or more Indian reserves by an Indian elected by, and representing, the various bands.

UNITED WAY ESSENTIAL DESPITE GOV'T-COCKE

VANCOUVER (CP) — Provincial Health Minister Dennis Cocke told a labor-management seminar Wednesday that volunteer agencies such as the United Way will always be essential to the community despite increasing government involvement in health and welfare.

"The funds and volunteer services provided by the United Way can backstop the government in fields such as preventive medicine, research and innovative programs the

government has neither the funds nor the staff to undertake," Cocke told 175 persons at the United Way-sponsored seminar.

He said the government has tremendous respect for the United Way and its 70 member agencies.

Cocke said if it were not for the one-campaign United Way drive, which started in Vancouver and the lower mainland Monday, there would be any number of individual fund-raising campaigns that "would drive the community mad."

b.c. briefs

Anti-Union Action Charged to MP

PRINCE GEORGE (CP) — Labor leaders have charged that Prince George-Peace River MP Frank Oberle (PC) has denied his employees at a Chetwynd sawmill the chance to sign a union contract.

The Prince George Labor Council said organized labor must take the Conservative MP's comments concerning the national rail strike "with a grain of salt" because of his treatment of organized employees.

In a statement unanimously approved by labor representatives Tuesday night, the council charged that Oberle fired employees of Chetwynd Forest Industries after they were organized by the International Woodworkers of America in December, 1971.

"In subsequent hearings before the Labor Relations Board, Oberle, as part owner of Chetwynd Forest Industries, was found guilty of the charge (of firing employees because of union activities) and ordered to pay several thousand dollars in back wages to his discharged employees," said the council.

Oberle Monday expressed sympathy with striking railway employees because of the higher cost of living in northern B.C. He also urged that essential workers not be allowed to strike and that their wages be set by a form of mediation.

Fires Number 54

NELSON (CP) — Fifty-four forest fires were burning Wednesday in the Nelson Forest District where 172 men were using 13 bulldozers and a water bomber to fight the blazes. The fire hazards at Beaverdell and New Denver were extremely high and the rest of the district reported hazards ranging from low to high.

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Offer Refused

CASTLEGAR (CP) — Three hundred members of the Pulp and Paper Workers of Canada rejected a new company offer by 63 per cent Wednesday, the 43rd day of their strike against Canadian Cellulose Ltd. About 350 members of the International Woodworkers of America have been put out of work by the strike.

Stores Blasted

VANCOUVER (CP) — An explosion and fire destroyed six stores in the east end of Vancouver Tuesday night. There were no injuries. The cause of the explosion in the 1300 block on Commercial was not known.

Crime Clampdown

VANCOUVER (CP) — City police have recommended that the licences of six hotels be reviewed, two cafes be closed at midnight and a dance hall be shut down in order to lessen crime in the Gastown area.

Decision Reserved

VANCOUVER (CP) — Decision was reserved in provincial court Tuesday to Dec. 3 in the case of the Georgia Strait and the Greater Vancouver News Ltd., jointly charged with possession of obscene written matter for the purpose of distribution and sale. The charges were laid as a result of an investigation in April which resulted in the seizure of nearly 400 comic books from the Georgia Strait office.

Steel Strike Notice

MERRITT (CP) — Local 6523 of the United Steelworkers of America Wednesday served 72-hour strike notice on Craigmont Mines Ltd. here.

The company, on receiving the strike notice, told the union it will apply for the services of a mediator. The company said if mediation is granted, the union won't be able to strike at midnight Saturday as planned.

Mine Closure Asked

MERRITT (CP) — An official of the United Steelworkers of America, Darwin Benson, Wednesday sent a telegram to Mines Minister Leo Nimisick requesting clo-

Forestry Blamed For Overgrazing

VANCOUVER (CP) — British Columbia Wildlife Federation executive director Bill Otway Tuesday accused the B.C. Forest Service of mismanagement of the provincial grasslands.

Otway, who recently returned from a six-day horseback ride through the Chilcotin country, said 90 per cent of the country he saw was badly overgrazed. He said the other 10 per cent was in fair to poor condition.

He said the same sort of conditions exist throughout

the rest of the province "to a great degree except in the extreme north."

Otway said the federation's park chairman, Mrs. Megan Moorcroft, had also made a horseback ride through the Chilcotin country and came to the same conclusions. He said the two of them covered about 180 miles, all within the area of the Gang Ranch.

He said the ranch people in the area were not to blame for the overgrazing. "The people who are completely at fault are the grazing division of the forest service."

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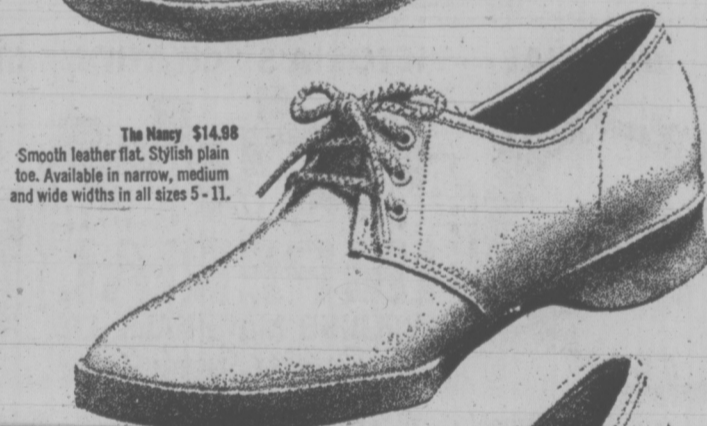
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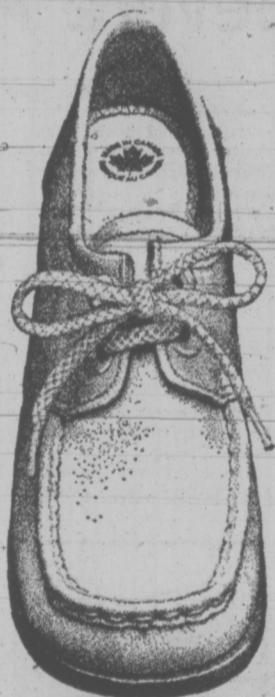
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The Coral \$15.98
Plain toe. Smooth leather upper. Medium heel. Available in AA 6-11, B 5-10, D 5-10.



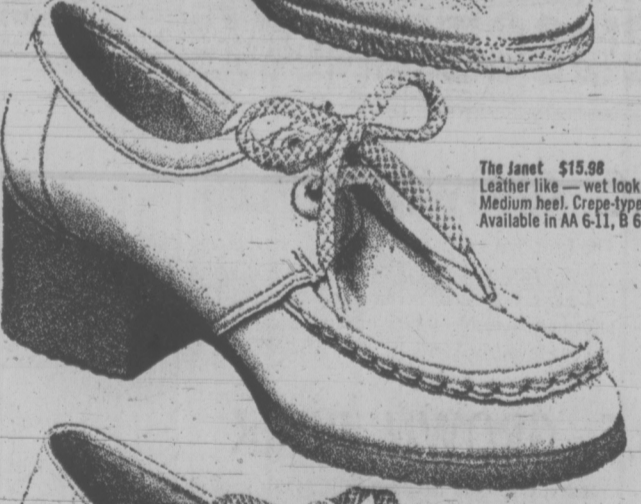
The Jane \$18.98
Crinkle patent-leather upper. Medium heel. Crepe-type sole. Available in AA 6-11, B 6-11.



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Freshman Bennett Cast as 'Heavy'

Freshman MLA Bill Bennett will carry one of the heavier workloads in the Social Credit party's revamped "shadow cabinet."

The son of former premier W. A. C. Bennett, elected last week in a South Okanagan byelection, will be responsible for criticizing the government on matters concerning commercial transport and communications, housing, and car insurance.

He also will watch finance and the attorney-general's department.

The assignments were worked out at meetings of the 10-man caucus this week.

Labor, recreation and conservation, the liquor board and the civil service commission will be the responsibility of Jim Chabot (Columbia River), who will also act as party house leader.

Frank Richter (Boundary-Similkameen), the party's acting leader, will be responsible for mines and petroleum resources.

Don Phillips (South Peace River) will handle the B.C. Land Commission, agriculture and highways.

Newell Morrison (Victoria), the party's caucus chairman, will deal with finance and travel industry, and Bob McClelland (Langley) will be responsible for the provincial secretary's department and health services and hospital insurance.

The party whip, Ed Smith (North Peace River), will cover the attorney-general's department, lands, forests and water resources and the B.C. Energy Commission.

Harvey Schroeder (Chilliwack) will handle B.C. Hydro, education and consumer affairs while Alex Fraser (Cariboo) will be responsible for municipal affairs, the B.C. Railway and public works.

Pat Jordan (North Okanagan) will deal with human resources and trade.

A prepared statement from caucus chairman Morrison said the Soereds have "hampered out a legislative program aimed at exposing the wasteful and excessive extravagance, the spread of inflationary psychology by the government, the reckless adventurism in the business and industrial sectors and the government's sorry record of passing the effects of inflation along to the general consumer."

The statement said the caucus has "realized the responsibility to overcome the steamroller tactics of the huge government majority."

CUPE Hits Internationals As CLC Ruling Splits Body



MARIJUANA water pipe is enjoyed by Cambodian soldier taking a break during fighting near Phnom Penh.

Troop often smoke the drug in the field, but there has been no study of its effect on their efficiency.

Rebels Probe Capital

PHNOM PENH (UPI) — Rebel troops, reportedly pushed out of the battered provincial capital of Kompong Cham, launched twin attacks today against government positions around Phnom Penh.

Cambodian commanders reported driving the last guerrillas out of Kompong Cham Wednesday and said the 13-day siege of the country's third largest city was over.

The government has not yet announced total casualties in the bloody battle for Kompong Cham, but 625 wounded civilians and troops were brought here Tuesday by Mekong River convoy.

In the fighting around Phnom Penh, the military command said rebels shelled the radio transmitter at Kam-boul, a frequent guerrilla target seven miles southwest of the capital.

Handicap Centre Plan Faces Severe Pruning

Lack of money is expected to whittle down plans for one of Canada's most advanced centres for handicapped people to be built on Vernon Avenue in Saanich.

Ron Jeffels, chairman of the activity centre committee, says the centre originally was to cost \$950,000 but "we are \$400,000 short of our target."

"I don't think we can wait too much longer. We'll have to start the centre one way or another."

His statement came after nearly five years of planning, and pleading for funds.

The centre will provide work, therapy and recreation

for more than 200 handicapped.

Jeffels said there was a danger that paring down the project might "cut the heart out of it."

So far the committee has received a \$300,000 provincial grant, a Community Chest grant of \$100,000 and another \$150,000 from various organizations.

The committee has received \$300,000 from the federal government.

It plans to ask for \$100,000 when the Greater Victoria Intermunicipal Committee meets Tuesday.

The centre will be built beside Battin-Fielding Memorial

CHARLOTTETOWN (CP) — The future of the country's largest all-Canadian union was unclear today after a decision Wednesday that could lead to withdrawal of the 175,000-member Canadian Union of Public Employees (CUPE) from the Canadian Labor Congress (CLC).

A long-simmering dispute between the union and the congress came to a head at a meeting of the CLC executive council when top union leaders voted by a two-thirds margin for an affiliation bid by three provincial government employee groups.

CUPE, which says it has exclusive rights to represent provincial government employees, voted at its last convention to withhold payment of fees to the congress unless the CLC officers recognized its claim.

If the union withholds its fees for three months it risks expulsion from the congress.

The decision by the CLC council intensifies the possibility of that expulsion although CUPE President Stan Little said he will discuss future action with other union officials later this month.

Three provincial government employee associations representing about 35,000 members will be admitted into the congress effective Oct. 1 as a result of the CLC decision. They are groups from Alberta, Newfoundland and Prince Edward Island.

The three new CLC affiliates will have to join another provincial employee group, the British Columbia Government Employees' Union, in an effort to set up a country-wide provincial workers organization.

Under conditions for entry into the congress, the provincial groups are also to help establish a joint council of workers for public employees at the three levels of government.

Some other provincial employee groups are considering joining the congress. They include associations in Ontario and Saskatchewan.

Potential provincial employee membership in the congress is about 100,000.

Mr. Little appeared concerned with the result of the 193 vote against the CUPE position as he left the council meeting. The decision had followed several hours of discussion that was often bitter.

Private-sector unions, many of them based in the United States, opposed CUPE while public-servant unions in the congress had supported his union, he said.

"The international unions have decided they run the congress," Mr. Little said. Now CUPE would have to decide whether it could live within the congress.

CLC President Donald MacDonald, who has pushed for inclusion of the provincial associations, said the congress does not want to lose any of its organizations. But it was for CUPE to decide whether they should leave the CLC.

MINERS' RIOT PROBE VOWED

JOHANNESBURG (UPI) — South African Prime Minister John Vorster today promised a thorough investigation of Wednesday's gold mine riot that left 11 black miners killed by police gunfire and a 12th hacked to death by a mob.

Police said 27 other miners were wounded in the incident. "This matter will be investigated thoroughly and, if it is still necessary, further investigations will follow," Vorster said.

Vorster said he thought police had taken the only action possible in the situation.

The trouble at Western Deep Levels mine near Carletonville, 60 miles west of Johannesburg, began when black machine operators demanded more pay, protesting that recent salary increases had been granted to other grades of workers at the mine.

The miners rioted, looting stores in the camp compound, mine officials said. When police arrived to quell the riot, the miners surrounded them and they opened fire in self defence, police officials said.

Vorster said he was convinced the police acted correctly.

Vorster's announcement of the inquiry into the shooting quieted opposition party demands for such a probe.

On Wednesday, about 80 students invaded the Johannesburg offices of the Anglo-American group that owned the mine, carrying placards saying, "Employees' Greed, The Real Killer."

The incident aroused memories of the 1960 Sharpeville shootings in which police fired on a crowd of demonstrating Africans, leaving 69 dead and 200 wounded.

Unlike Sharpeville, the Carleton shootings have aroused little criticism of police across the White political spectrum.

Black leaders have been more outspoken. Chief Gatsha Bethelzi, fiery leader of the Kwazulu African Homeland,


condemned the police action and said it is an indication "that a black life is regarded as very cheap in South Africa."

Deputy Police Minister James Kruger said police were forced to open fire on the Africans in self-defence after tear gas and a baton charge did not stop them rampaging through their compound.


While armed police units kept close watch on the No. 2 compound—scene of Tuesday's killings—a police spokesman said there did not appear to be any sign of unrest Wednesday night among African workers as they went underground.

About the same time as the Carleton trouble, other police units were trying to control several hundred rioting African workers at a second mine in the Western Transvaal—the West Rand Consolidated—about 30 miles to the north-east.

News of the second riot was only released Wednesday night but officials at West Rand, where police fired tear gas and charged the demonstrators, said the incident there was totally unconnected with Carletonville.



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Milk Subsidy: Industry Still in Dark

BANFF, Alta. (CP) — How long consumers will have to wait before getting the benefit of lower milk prices through the federal government's subsidy program is a question mark, a dairy industry official said Wednesday.

Grant Carlyle of Calgary, retiring director of the Dairy Council of Canada, said the industry doesn't "really know how soon the government expects the five-cents-a-quart reduction to be put into effect."

He made the comment as 450 delegates to the council's annual convention wound up their three-day deliberations, still confused about the proposal made a week ago by Prime Minister Trudeau in an attempt to halt rising food prices.

The council managed to stick to the theme of the industry and the government during its formal sessions but the subsidy was the prime topic outside the sessions and the subject of a special directors meeting Tuesday.

John Jackson of Ottawa, council president, said processors want to co-operate with the federal government to get "the subsidy off the ground" but are concerned about unknown aspects of the Ottawa plan.

COSTS CLIMB

The subsidy will be paid on the understanding that retail milk prices remain stable for one year and, Mr. Jackson said, this will place the processors in an "awkward" position.

Studies have shown production costs still are rising, he said.

Mr. Carlyle, a director of Silverwoods Dairy Ltd., said the "problem will be how long industry can accept the freeze period."

"It's not just a question of freezing the price the farmer is getting for his milk, but the freezing of other costs of which the principle one is labor."

"How do we do that for 12 months?" he asked. Sixty per cent of the processors' costs were for milk and the remainder wages, taxes, energy and transportation.

Mr. Jackson cancelled a planned trip Saturday to Brussels to attend the meeting of the International Dairy Federation, saying he wants to be available in Ottawa if the council's assistance is sought in implementing the subsidy program.

One concern of the organization is that it is not a party to the negotiations between the federal authority and the provincial bodies that regulate milk prices.

DISCUSSIONS UNDERWAY
Discussions already have started at that level with Quebec leading the way followed by Ontario which has a meeting later this week in Toronto with the federal officials.

Perhaps the biggest concern was the prospect of the industry being the first one in the Canadian food industry to be placed under price control. Mr. Jackson said such action is "discriminatory."

the prairies

WINNIPEG (CP) — Manitoba's New Democratic Party is looking for election irregularities in two Winnipeg ridings in hopes of setting aside the June 28 election results there.

Party president Murdoch MacKay said Wednesday if the party can find enough ineligible voters who cast ballots in the ridings, petitions will be filed to controvert both elections.

In Wolsley constituency, MacKay lost to Liberal leader Izzy Asper by three votes after a judicial recount and court appeal.

A similar process in St. Boniface gave the final victory to Liberal Paul Marion over Tourism Minister Larry Desjardins by one vote.

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REGINA (CP) — Government measures to curb price increases in the petroleum industry will not work, the president of the Canadian Petroleum Association said Wednesday night.

Speaking to the local Chamber of Commerce, John Poyen said the federal government's request for a voluntary freeze on price increases for oil products was not unwarranted, but price controls and imposition of a two-price system may be the last ingredients necessary to produce a full-scale energy crisis in Canada.

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WINNIPEG (CP) — Winnipeg's inner city police commission decided Wednesday it should take action on the problem of panhandlers.

The commission voted to try enforcing a 1947 city bylaw against the practice, but also agreed to discuss further action with the province's crown prosecutors.

The panhandling problem was raised in a letter to the commission by a group of Winnipeg businessmen, and acting police chief Jack Webster said beggars have been an increasing problem since Parliament removed vagrancy from the Criminal Code last year.

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EDMONTON (CP) — Hokkaido, Japan, and the province of Alberta have agreed upon a dairy exchange program, Agriculture Minister Hugh Horner said Wednesday.

"The two-way dairy exchange program — that is, Albertans working in Japan and Japanese working in Alberta — is designed to exchange cultural and technical knowledge," the minister said.

Initial plans are for the exchange of two dairy professors or researchers, four undergraduate or graduate students, and 10 experienced dairymen.

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CARNDUFF, Sask. (CP) — Rabies have been confirmed in a cat killed last week by a boy with a baseball bat near this community, 170 miles southeast of Regina.

The case was one of two confirmed today by Roman Bryndwald, secretary of the Carnduff veterinary board.

The cat had attacked a dog on a farm two miles west of Carnduff, then turned on the boy who was playing baseball. A rabid skunk was killed nearby last week.

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EDMONTON (CP) — Paying personal income tax would amount to denouncing faith, Bishop John K. Wurz of the Darius-Leut Hutterite Brethren told the Federal Court of Canada Wednesday.

The Hutterites are appealing income tax assessments levied from 1961 to 1968 inclusive on the grounds that as members of the sect they cannot individually own property so they cannot pay taxes on it.

Rev. Wurz said for this reason he could not sign an agreement of understanding with the revenue department in 1968 which would enable the government to levy personal income taxes on members of the 64 Darius-Leut Hutterite colonies scattered throughout Alberta and Saskatchewan.

Protest Ship Sails Back to Test Zone

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Greenpeace Foundation said Wednesday the American protest vessel Fri, which was towed by the French navy from the nuclear test zone in the South Pacific early this summer, is heading back into the zone.

The foundation said the Fri had taken on provisions at Moura Island to also re-supply another protest vessel, the Spirit of Peace, which has

been within the test zone for over two weeks.

Kurt Horn, Greenpeace Foundation director, is reported on board the Spirit of Peace. Horn sailed the Greenpeace II in waters off Alaska in protest of American underground nuclear tests at Amchitka.

The foundation said the rendezvous between the Fri and the Spirit of Peace is expected within a week.

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Sex Attitudes Changing

NEW YORK (UPI) — A survey of U.S. attitudes toward sex, commissioned by the Playboy Foundation as an updated version of the Kinsey study, concludes the country is in the midst of a sexual liberation movement in which premarital sex has gained acceptability.

The survey, published in the October issue of Playboy magazine, said premarital sex has become both acceptable and widespread, with the change most noteworthy in

women, and that extramarital sex for women was on the rise.

The survey was conducted by the Research Guild, Inc., a private research organization.

In his sexual behaviour study a generation ago, Dr. Alfred Kinsey reported that one-third of single women in his study had intercourse by the age of 25. The Playboy survey found that about 75 per cent of the single women admitted premarital relations

before 25, and said they were doing it more frequently.

The survey included interviews with 2,026 persons over 17 — 982 men and 1,044 women — living in both cities and suburbs. Seventy-one per cent of those surveyed were married, 25 per cent single and 4 per cent divorced.

In other findings, 32 per cent of the married men under 25 surveyed said they had engaged in extramarital relations, only a slight in-

crease over the Kinsey figures. However, 24 per cent of wives under 25 admitted extramarital affairs, a jump of about 15 per cent since Kinsey's study.

The survey also showed fewer young men have relations with prostitutes.

In addition, the statement "sex is one of the most beautiful parts of life" won a yes vote from 90 per cent or more of the men and women in every age group.

Gypsy To Open In Toronto

NEW YORK (CP) — The London production of Gypsy, the musical based on the memoirs of stripper Gypsy Rose Lee, will open its pre-Broadway tour at Toronto's Royal Alexandra Theatre March 25.

The musical, which stars Angela Lansbury, will then tour a group of United States cities before opening on Broadway Sept. 7.

The original New York production opened in 1959, with singer Ethel Merman in the starring role.

DAYS AFTER 'DEATH' HEART TRANSPLANTED

SAN FRANCISCO (Reuter) — The heart of a murdered 29-year-old man was rushed 40 miles by helicopter Wednesday for a heart transplant operations after two days of arguments over whether the donor was dead.

The recipient, a 52-year-old retired construction engineer who wished to remain anonymous, was reported to be in satisfactory condition after four hours of surgery at Stanford Medical Centre.

It is the first time that the Stanford heart surgeon, Dr. Norman Shumway, has operated without having the donor body in his operating room. Of the 62 persons who have

received new hearts at Stanford, 24 are still living.

Shumway flew to Oakland to end the legal and medical dispute and to remove the heart from Samuel Moore, who had been in a coma since Monday with a .22-calibre bullet in his brain.

A friend of Moore's, A. D. Lyons, 43, was charged with assaulting him with a deadly weapon. That charge now will be changed to murder.

Moore's mother, Dolores Moore, gave permission for the transplant. But his body remained at hospital, his brain dead but his heart still beating with the help of a heart machine.



The Arab

people

Who's Gonna Tell Grandma?

NEW YORK (AP) — "The search for an Arab came through my organization," says Manhattan talent agent Steve Kaye. "We couldn't find an Arab so I volunteered."

The bearded Kaye, 33, appears as an Arab on this week's cover of Newsweek magazine.

Kaye is Jewish.

The cover photograph depicts him posed in Arab head-dress and robes, arms folded, as he holds a gasoline pump to symbolize the "Arab Oil Squeeze."

"My emotions were rather mixed," Kaye said Wednesday.

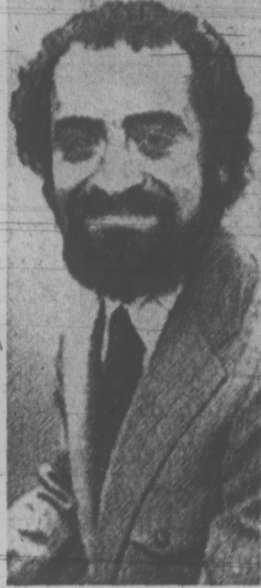
"I have family in Israel. My brother is in Kibbutz Yizrael, near Jerusalem, and I sent him a copy of the Newsweek cover. He's probably jumping up and down at the moment, taking it as a big joke."

"My wife is delighted, and the whole neighborhood where I live, in Marlboro, N.J., is calling. Nobody is outraged."

But Kaye added: "I've got a grandmother who might be offended. She's a Zionist, so nobody's told her."

Robert Engle, Newsweek's senior editor in charge of covers, said the cover was not intended to convey "verisimilitude" and that anybody who saw it would know it was a "concoction."

"I don't think it matters whether we used an Arab model or not," Engle said.



And the Jew

POT BURNING DRAWS 200 YOUNG WHIFFERS

PANAMA CITY, Fla. (AP) — A crowd of about 200 young persons gathered at the Bay County sheriff's office

Wednesday for the public burning of about \$60,000 worth of marijuana.

"I never thought it would draw that kind of attention," said Sheriff Tullis Easterling.

"We announced the public burning after confiscating that stuff over the last few

months. But we didn't know we would get this kind of a crowd."

Easterling said his audience seemed disappointed at the day's calm breeze but remained orderly throughout the burning.

"A few of them kept telling us to blow the smoke their way," he said, "but we ignored them."

NEW YORK — It was a dream come true for Bertha Farmer, the oldest co-ed at Bernard M. Baruch College.

At 84, she's almost as old as one of the subjects she is studying — sociology, which dates back to the late 19th century.

A 1907 graduate of a New York high school, she is attending five classes a week in English and sociology.

MIAMI — Soaring food prices may be bad news for housewives' pocketbooks, but they're good news for a menu printer.

"Restaurants are struggling to survive," says Jack Samson.

"We have customers who've printed two or three menus within the last 30 days."

"Price increases average about 10 to 12 per cent, he said."

"Some people have asked us to make reservations for them so they could get their new menus printed."

LEBANON, N.H. — John J. O'Malley, 28, of Boston, was arrested by police as he sat reading a flight manual in the cockpit of an Air New England twin-engine plane here. O'Malley told police he can't fly.

CORVALLIS, Ore. — Two men and one woman who drifted at sea for 30 hours in a small boat said nearby Russian fishing vessels failed to answer their distress call.

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Dr. Cyril L. Comar, chairman of a National Academy of Sciences panel that studied radiation effects on humans, said there are only two alternatives to using nuclear energy to fulfill the growing demand for electricity.

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Land Reserve 'Flexible'—Lane

REPLY TO CARIBOO

VANCOUVER (CP) — British Columbia's agricultural land reserve program will be flexible enough to meet most local objections, B.C. Land Commission Chairman William Lane said Tuesday in an interview.

He was referring to protests voiced by the Cariboo Regional District board against the policies being followed by the land commission in getting regional districts to set aside agricultural land reserves in their areas.

The Cariboo Regional Board has charged the bylaw it is required to adopt in setting up the district's agricultural land reserve areas has no validity because it can still be amended by provincial authorities.

The regional board has referred the issue to its solicitor after regional district Administrator Brian Woodward advised the board it was his opinion that any amending of a regional bylaw after its adoption is legally questionable.

Lane said the Cariboo board does not seem to understand the mechanics involved in going through the bylaw

process in designating the district's agricultural land reserves.

But, he added, it is true that the provincial government, with or without the recommendation of the Land Commission, can amend any regional district's agricultural land reserve plan.

Lane said the land commission act clearly requires a regional district to assume the responsibility of designating its agricultural reserve lands by adoption of a bylaw.

Soviets Explode Big Arctic Bomb

UPPSALA, Sweden (AP) — The Soviet government set off another powerful underground nuclear explosion on the Arctic island of Novaya Zemlya at 3 a.m. Wednesday, the Uppsala, seismological institute reported.

The institute said the blast was the strongest yet recorded from the region.

He said such a bylaw presents a regional district with the opportunity, as well as the responsibility, of advising the land commission of its concept of what lands should be designated as agricultural reserves.

He said the commission would then study the regional bylaw and its designated agricultural reserve land plan and if necessary recommend changes in submitting it to the cabinet for approval.

Lane said it was probable there would be areas of dispute between a local authority

and the provincial government in relation to some of the regional plans.

He said local residents will still be left with the right to air their views on what areas should, or should not be included in the farm land reserve areas.

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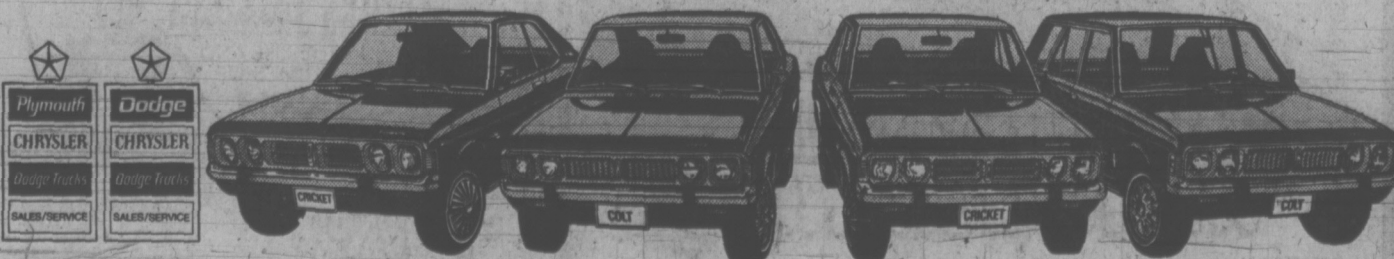
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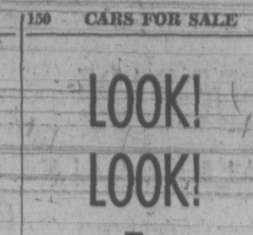
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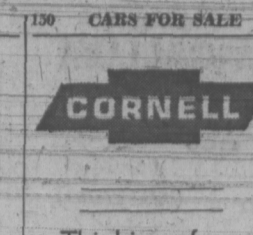
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Satellite Planned to Spot Oil Leaks

ANCHORAGE (WP) — RCA Corp. is negotiating a \$25 million contract to provide a satellite-controlled system to guard against failures in the projected trans-Alaska oil pipeline, RCA chairman Robert Sarnoff said Wednesday.

Sarnoff, who spoke here en route to a tour of the Orient, said the "unique, space-age communications system" will employ two independent elements: a land-based microwave system and communications satellites.

"There will be both a satellite earth station and a microwave station at each of the 12 planned pumping stations along the line and at the pipeline control centre at Valdez," Sarnoff explained. "In case of any malfunction in the

line, the nearest station will flash the word instantly to Valdez. There, countermeasures can be determined and orders transmitted back over the system within seconds."

Thus, in the event of the leak, or some other malfunction, both systems will work independently as electronic warning sensors, providing redundant, or double, safety protection. Sarnoff called RCA's system "as foolproof as you can provide with modern technology."

200-YEAR ERROR BOUNCES CHARGE

A charge was dismissed in provincial court Wednesday because of a 200-year error in wording.

He said as the crown failed to correct the dates during the trial "the defect was a matter of substance."

The charge, against Zoltan Peremitsky, 2302 Belamy, alleging a violation of the Combines Act, had been dated May 16, 1973.

Peremitsky had been charged with making false claims in an advertisement in the yellow pages of the Greater Victoria phone book. He said his firm, Chroma TV, was "exclusive factory service depot" for Magnavox and "factory service depot" for Admiral.

Judge William Ostler noted the discrepancy as the prosecutor Harold Turnham closed his case at the end of a two-day trial.

However, testimony by officials of the two firms and Combines Act investigator Michael Poutlin said this was false.

Ostler said he "realized the absurdity" of accepting the date as given but there was nothing to indicate just when the charge had been sworn, whether before or after the alleged offence.

Turnham was unable to say if a new charge, up-dated 200 years, will be laid.

AWARD GIVEN FOR BRAVE ACT

CAMPBELL RIVER — John R. Smith, a Crown Zellerbach crane operator, has received a Workmen's Compensation Board award for bravery for his part in the rescue of a fellow operator last December.

He received the board's bronze medallion and \$750 at a dinner Monday night in Campbell River. Smith, 43, of 1925 Wood Road, rescued Joseph M. Co-mau, 47, who lost consciousness and was in danger of drowning when his gantry crane toppled from the deck of the M. V. Besseggen into the sea at the Elk Falls plant near here.

Smith jumped into the 42-degree water and held Co-mau's head up until rescued by sports fishermen in a small boat.

The rescue is the 14th to win a WCB citation since the inception of the bravery awards program in 1968.

First A-Bomb Makers Pass Checks

WASHINGTON (AP) — Twenty-five men who were heavily exposed to radioactive plutonium while helping produce the first atomic bomb have suffered no detectable harm, scientists said Wednesday.

The men still carry within their bodies tiny quantities of the ray-emitting bomb ingredient. The amounts, while small, range from one-eighth to 10 times the maximum permissible level for present-day atomic plant workers.

But, says the report of the study:

"Except for the ailments that one would expect in a group of men mostly in their early 50s, all subjects examined at their most recent checkup in 1972 were in remarkably good health."

All men were actively working, most as successful executives.

They were examined for such things as any signs of lung, bone or liver cancer, or any evidence of genetic-cell abnormalities.

No detectable evidence was found.

The report was made by a group of health specialists

from the University of Rochester, N.Y., and the United States Atomic Energy Commission's Los Alamos, N.M., scientific laboratory.

They have made periodic check-ups on the men since 1953. That was nearly 10 years after the men were heavily exposed to plutonium

through ingestion and inhalation — while working at Los Alamos on the Manhattan Project, which produced the bomb.

The report was presented to the third international congress of the International Radiation Protection Association.

Canadians Spend, Borrow More

OTTAWA (CP) — Canadians are continuing to borrow and spend at a substantially higher rate than last year, latest government figures on retail sales and consumer credit showed Wednesday.

Retail trade totalled \$31.1 billion in July, up 11.8 per cent from July, 1972, Statistics Canada said. Total retail trade for the first seven months of 1973 reached more than \$21 billion, up 13.5 per cent from the corresponding period last year.

At the same time, the report said, selected credit holders who report monthly listed \$12.9 billion in outstanding consumer debt at the end of July, up 20 per cent from a year earlier.

Other credit holders who report on a quarterly basis and have not yet listed second-quarter or July figures had reported another \$3.4 billion in consumer debt for the first three months of this year, up 14.8 per cent from 1972's first quarter.

It is too early to tell how consumer spending and borrowing may be affected by government policies adopted this summer to curb the economy in an attempt to slow inflation. Such measures included higher bank interest rates and announced plans to cut back federal spending.

The report on July retail trade showed sales up in all categories and in all provinces.

"Increases were registered in all trade groups, ranging from a high of 18.7 per cent for motor vehicle dealers to a low of 2.6 per cent for variety

stores," Statistics Canada said.

"All provinces recorded increased sales with the largest increases in Manitoba—15.8 per cent—and Newfoundland—15.7 per cent."

The figures on retail trade include all sales of food, motor vehicles, clothing and shoes, furniture and appliances, jewelry, hardware and all other sales of department stores, general merchandise and variety stores, drug stores, filling stations and garages.

The report on consumer credit said personal cash loans by chartered banks rose to a total of \$8.3 billion, up 26.5 per cent from a year earlier.

Loans by life insurance companies on customers' policies rose to \$819 million, up 3.3 per cent from the level of July, 1972, it added.

"In addition, sales finance and consumer loan companies held \$1.1 billion balances of retail instalment sales paper, an increase of 13.3 per cent; and the \$1.4 billion outstandings of personal cash loans represented an expansion of 18.2 per cent," the report said.

The only major loan category to decline was personal cash loans made under the Small Loans Act, down 11.9 per cent to \$349 million, it added.

Le Soleil Sale Delayed 3 Months

QUEBEC (CP) — Premier Robert Bourassa announced Wednesday negotiations to sell the French-language daily Le Soleil have been suspended three months.

Bourassa said the decision to suspend negotiations followed meetings with Gabriel Gilbert, president of Le Soleil, and prospective buyer Paul Desmarais.

Should the parties not adhere to the suspension, Bourassa said he would not hesitate to intervene with legislation.

Opposition to the sale began after Aug. 22 when Gilbert announced he had received three purchase bids for his paper, one of them from Desmarais.

Desmarais owns La Presse as well as Montreal-Matin and is a majority shareholder in Sherbrooke's La Tribune. Granby's Voix de l'Est and Trois-Rivieres Le Nouvelliste.

If successful in his bid to buy Le Soleil and its affiliate, Chicoutimi Le Quotidien, scheduled to begin daily publication Oct. 1, Desmarais would control close to 70 per cent of French-language daily newspapers in Quebec.

Board May Do Work As Bids Too High

A library addition and alterations at Lake Hill elementary school may be undertaken by the Greater Victoria school board's maintenance divisions at a cost of \$45,000.

The board's facilities and school support committee has recommended the move because tender bids for the project were too high.

The lowest tender, submitted by H. E. Fowler and Sons Ltd., at \$54,637, was \$9,000

more than available funds, director of facilities and school support, Sig Dietze said.

"We feel it's a somewhat high tender that should be rejected; \$45,000 is the value of the work that should be done and there should be no major reductions."

"If we cut now and tendered again, we'd lose close to three months," he said.

The committee has also recommended the board approve a \$22,486 bid from W. Campbell Ltd., for a library addition and fire alarm system at Margaret Jenkins elementary school.

ITT Settlement To Remain

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Attorney General Elliot Richardson has decided to let stand the 1971 out-of-court settlement of the controversial ITT merger case.

Richardson, who said he made his decision after a review of the case by the Justice department's anti-trust division, contended that by reopening the case "the public interest would not be served and could well be injured."

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F. B. DURRAND, Municipal Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Estate of MARY BRILL, Deceased, late of 1115 Richardson St., Victoria, B.C.

Creditors and others having claims against the said estate are hereby required to send them, duly verified, to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE, 635 Burrard Street, Vancouver 1, B.C., before the 5th day of October, 1973, after which date the assets of the said estate will be distributed, having regard only to claims that have been received.

CLINTON W. FOOTE, PUBLIC TRUSTEE

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned at 80 Commercial Street (Box 292), Nanaimo, B.C., marked V.I.T.E.B. will be received up to 3:00 p.m., October 6, 1973. Tender documents for this 4,000 sq. ft. wood frame office building may be obtained from the undersigned by contacting in person, or will be forwarded by telephone request (738-3453). The lowest tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Donn Gardner, Manager, V.I.T.E.B., 80 Commercial St. (Box 292), Nanaimo, B.C.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
CATHERINE EMMA HILVORNE LANG, Deceased, late of 1221 Collins Street, Victoria, British Columbia

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned Martin, Jawl & Bundo at 540-1070 Douglas Street, Victoria, B.C., by the 12th day of October, A.D. 1973, after which date the executor will distribute the said estate among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which it then has notice.

DATED this 10th day of September, A.D. 1973.

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Fire Still Rages

Times News Services
SALMON ARM — The forest fire is still raging unchecked, burning close to 20,000 acres of heavily forested land six miles southwest of here.

The fire has destroyed more than 20 homes and scores of other buildings. (See picture on Page 3).

Damage estimates were unavailable, but observers said they could run into the millions of dollars. Many cattle died in the fire, unable to escape the flames which raced across the heavily wooded hills and valleys, whipped by winds gusting to more than 50 miles an hour.

Victims will receive 100 per cent compensation from the provincial disaster fund, Resources Minister Bob Williams promised Wednesday.

"We would like the people in the area to know the loss will not be their loss — in the monetary sense — the province will look after that," he said.

Officials from the water resources department who administer the fund have been sent to the area and are already working on assistance for the families who have lost their homes.

"We don't, at this stage, want to argue about liability or responsibility," he said, adding that forest service officials will conduct a detailed investigation "in terms of our being satisfied a proper job was done by everyone concerned."

A "good level of co-operation" has been established between emergency personnel in the area, the minister said, under the co-ordination of civil defence officials.

The blaze began without warning Tuesday afternoon when a fire started by Federated Co-Operatives to burn logging debris was fanned by high winds and went out of control.

It sent out three fingers of flame across ridges in the Fly Hills area about six miles from the town of 2,000. The fires moved so quickly firefighters were unable to contain them.

Estimates had been that as many as 40 houses were destroyed, but when families moved back into the area after the fire had passed over they found some houses untouched.

Isamu Ujimoto was one of the lucky ones. He left his home Tuesday night and the last he saw of it, it was surrounded by a wall of flame.

But when he returned Wednesday he found his home untouched — although trees, his garage and a doghouse just a few feet from the house were destroyed.



WHEN CAN 64 equal 162.56? When height of teacher Jana Roberts is converted from inches to centimetres, that's when. Kevin Crammer wields the tape as Grade 2 class at Blanshard elementary takes the measure of the metric system. Helping is Leighanne Nelson while Gloria Eng and Nora Caton look on. (Bill Halkett photo.)

Cabinet Named By Chile Junta

Times News Services
SANTIAGO — The Chilean armed forces have formally assumed power on their own terms and today appeared ready to crush the last resistance to their coup which resulted in the death of President Salvador Allende.

However, shortly before noon today, there were reports of an outbreak of machinegun and artillery fire in

the neighborhood of the defence ministry and partially destroyed presidential palace. It was not immediately known who the combatants were, or what the target was.

Wednesday night, while troops patrolled the capital under orders to shoot resistors on sight, the military junta appointed a new national cabinet.

The cabinet members swore to uphold the principles of the junta and not of the constitution under which Allende ruled during three years of left-wing government.

Gen. Augusto Pinochet Maramba, a 56-year-old artillery officer, is president of the four-man junta. He was appointed commander-in-chief of the army by Allende two weeks before the coup.

The armed forces, who rose against the 65-year-old Marxist president Tuesday, reported Wednesday night that soldiers had been in action in at least 15 centres in the capital.

They met with fierce resistance as they moved in to smash pockets of pro-Allende snipers, and workers were still reported holding out late.

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INSURANCE CHOICE DEMANDED BY UBCM

PRINCE GEORGE (CP) — Delegates to the annual Union of B.C. Municipalities convention here unanimously passed a resolution calling on the government to allow competitive bidding for general, fire and liability insurance. (See also Page 27.)

Under the Insurance Corporation of B.C. Act municipalities, corporations and boards that get government grants or government guaranteed loans must apply to the ICBC for insurance.

The motion put by the UBCM's executive said public bodies and industry have found it cheaper to buy insurance on a "sealed bid tender basis."

300,000 Ont. Families Need Housing

TORONTO (CP) — A government-appointed study group on housing said today 300,000 to 400,000 Ontario families need housing help and the "near-crisis" will worsen without immediate government action.

El Comay, chairman of the study group, was named by Premier William Davis to create 100,000 housing lots as soon as possible.

Mr. Comay, 53, and his 10-member group spent eight months producing the first province-wide study on housing problems. It held 50 meetings attended by about 2,200 people and studied 350 briefs from individuals, municipalities and organizations.

The group's main conclusion was that one family in six cannot afford suitable housing without some kind of government assistance.

The report recommended a new government ministry to oversee land development and housing and an immediate program of aid for Metropolitan Toronto, Ottawa and Hamilton.

It stressed that suitable housing no longer means a single-family home.

"The type and kind of housing to be produced should move toward the provision of housing which loosely matches, not expectations but needs," it said.

It is not possible to house

the people of Ontario in single-family houses at today's standards and expect a majority to be able to pay the full price. Other forms of housing, at different and more realistic standards than currently demanded, are needed.

The report rejected rent controls unless the government imposes over-all price controls, but said it should be possible to find suitable housing for everyone at a price he can afford.

It said rent levels for senior citizens should be adjusted to account for increased living costs and tenant leases in public housing should be ex-

tended to two years from one.

Housing problems are particularly acute in small, single-industry communities in Northern Ontario, it said. Scarcity of housing in such communities has produced rents comparable to those in Metro Toronto and those rents have led in many cases to more than one family living in a house.

In the eastern and two northern regions of the province, up to 20 per cent of dwellings are over-occupied, a much higher rate than other regions of Ontario.

In the central region, the worst situation is in cottages in the Muskoka and Halibur-

22-Year Record Jump in Costs

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada suffered its largest monthly rise in living costs in more than 22 years in August, a leap of 1.3 per cent (an annual rate of 19.6 per cent). The increase was certain to heighten criticism of Prime Minister Trudeau's proposals to combat inflation.

The August increase was led by a 3.2 per cent boost in food costs, the largest in that category in 13 months.

Statistics Canada, which reported the figures, said the overall 1.3 per cent hike in living costs was the steepest since February, 1951, during the Korean War.

The latest hike pushed living costs up 8.3 per cent above a year earlier, also the steepest annual rise since 1951.

"Sharply increased meat, poultry and egg prices at the beginning of August were major contributors to the considerably larger than usual rise in the latest month's index, but all other main elements, except fresh produce, also moved up," Statistics Canada said.

Pork prices alone rose 15.4 per cent for the month, it added.

In addition to the sharp food price hikes there were increases of 1.5 per cent for transportation, eight-tenths of one per cent for health and personal care, five-tenths of one per cent for housing and one tenth for clothing. Only recreation costs were unchanged.

The overall rise pushed the consumer index up to 153.0 from 151.0 in July, meaning that typical living costs priced at \$151 per week in July cost \$2 more in August and \$11.30 more than a year earlier.

GROCERIES UP
Grocery prices, biggest factor in current inflation, were up 16.2 per cent over the year. There have been indications that some food prices have moderated since the period of the government's August price survey.

The past year's 8.3 per cent rise in overall living costs is the sharpest since the 10.6 per cent recorded in 1951.

Since then, the worst inflationary years in Canada have been a 4.8-per-cent rise in 1972, 4.5 per cent in 1969 and 4.1 per cent in 1968.

"Led by a one-month rise of 15.4 per cent in the retail price of pork, the meat, fish and poultry index climbed 7.9 per cent between July and August and stood 28.3 per cent above its level of 12 months earlier," Statistics Canada said.

"Beef prices advanced 5.3 per cent in the latest month and 26.5 per cent since August, 1972," it added.

"Poultry prices likewise climbed 7.6 per cent between July and August and nearly 40 per cent over the year," the report said.

"Canned salmon and tuna quotations were about six per cent higher in the latest month, registering increases of 15 per cent and 31 per cent."

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ISRAELIS CLAIM 13 ARAB JETS

TEL AVIV (Reuter) — Israeli and Syrian jets fought a major air battle over the Mediterranean today and Israel said 13 Syrian Mig-21 fighter planes had been shot down with one Israeli plane hit.

An Israeli army spokesman said the dogfight occurred at night, and that the pilot of the Israeli plane hit was recovered from the sea after parachuting.

Syria, however, through diplomats in Beirut said only two of their fighters were downed.

Observers in Tel Aviv said if the first reports of the battle were true, it would be the biggest air conflict in the region since the 1967 Middle East war.

Bank Money Drying Up

By AL FORREST
Times Staff

Funds for development are beginning to dry up in Victoria despite another round of interest rate increases designed to attract money to lending firms.

Some banks have almost gone out of the mortgage business because cash supplies are just about depleted in that field.

Large commercial borrowers are being asked to limit their requests and speculative ventures are being told there is no money available.

The tightening money supply comes at a time of continuing increases in interest rates.

On Monday four major banks will increase their prime lending rate to 9 per cent from 8.25 per cent and the other banks are expected to do the same.

The Bank of Canada today raised its lending rate to the banks to 7.5 per cent from 7 per cent.

The mortgage interest rate, currently 10 per cent to 10.25 per cent, is likely to rise to 10.5 to 10.75 per cent before the end of October.

There is a growing feeling

interest rates may be nearing their peak.

In an effort to attract funds, banks and trust companies are raising their deposit rates effective today. In some cases the increases are retroactive to Sept. 1.

Some banks have increased 30 day deposit rates to 6.75 per cent from 6.25 per cent. The rate had been 5.75 per cent in July.

The search for short-term funds has created some anomalies in the deposit interest rates.

Several trust companies are offering 8.75 per cent interest for funds on deposit between three and six months and are paying only 8.5 per cent for full-year deposits.

Trust companies say they have an adequate supply of funds for mortgages but are restricting commercial loans.

Both banks and trust companies report the demand for loans is high despite the interest rates, which are at record levels.

Previous high rate for prime loans, going to 9 per cent on Monday, was 8.5 per cent during the tight money period in 1969-70.

Loans of up to \$200,000 for small businessmen, a special category created by Parliament, will rise to 8 per cent from 7.5 per cent, up one-quarter.

BBC PLANS LADIES' DAY

LONDON (UPI) — The British Broadcasting Corp. announced plans today to turn one of its radio channels over to women for an entire day.

Only one male voice — that of the moderator of a panel program — will be heard on BBC 3, the highbrow music channel, during the entire 17-hour broadcasting day on Sept. 30, the BBC said.

"This is not to be an occasion for women's lib propaganda," said the channel's controller, Stephen Hearst. "On the other hand we will be having serious and intelligent discussion about women in society."

NEWS BRIEFS

Hashish Haul
— 1,708 Pounds

MONTREAL (CP) — Three men were charged Wednesday with importing narcotics after RCMP made the biggest single hashish seizure in Canadian history — 1,708 pounds.

Bomb in Chelsea

LONDON (UPI) — A bomb blast ripped through a building housing three British servicemen's associations in London's Chelsea district Wednesday night, shattering windows and injuring five policemen.

U.S. Tax Hike Eyed

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Nixon is considering asking Congress for a temporary tax increase of up to 10 per cent — refundable later — as a tool to fight U.S. inflation.

Britain in Red

LONDON (AP) — Britain suffered a loss of \$476.4 million in its trade with the rest of the world in August the government announced today.

Air Embargo

TORONTO (CP) — Air Canada has announced a 24-hour embargo on air freight to all Canadian destinations from Toronto, effective midnight Wednesday night to enable the airline to clear a backlog of freight diverted to it during the rail strike.

Drive-In Claims on Douglas

By BRIAN BUTTERS
Times Staff

The government-owned Insurance Corporation of B.C. is purchasing a three-acre block of land on Douglas Street to use as a drive-in claim centre and as office quarters for some of the corporation's Island-based staff.

The site is the Victoria headquarters of Johnston Terminals Ltd. and runs for one block between the Canadian National Railway tracks and Douglas Street, bordered on the south by Kelvin and on the north by Ardiesier.

The firm is building a new warehouse on a larger piece of land immediately adjacent, across the CNR tracks.

Johnston's Victoria manager, Charles Rutan, said the land sale is not yet absolutely final but is in "the very last stages."

ICBC general manager Norman Bortnick said today in an interview from Vancouver that he could not give a figure for the cost of the purchase because the sale has not yet been finalized.

He said the structure to be built on the Johnston's site will be a standard building which could cost anywhere

from \$500,000 upwards. It will service the entire Greater Victoria area, with the nearest other claim centre to be located in Nanaimo.

The drive-in claim centre to be constructed on the Johnston's land will be one of 41 to be put up by the corporation in various centres throughout the province.

Government appraisers working at the claim centre will estimate the cost of repairs of damaged vehicles brought in by owners, and government adjusters will settle the claim with the owner.

The insured driver will then

leave the claim centre with a written authorization for repairs at a body shop.

At a May 29 press conference, Transport Minister Robert Strachan, the minister responsible for government car insurance, said the process of filing and claim with the insurance corporation will ordinarily take less than an hour, instead of the "several days" Strachan described as the waiting period under the private industry insurance system.

The government car insurance scheme comes into effect

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BID TO AVERT BCR STRIKE

VANCOUVER (CP) — The United Transportation Union negotiating committee began meeting with British Columbia Railway officials at 10 a.m. today in a final effort to avert a strike against the railway set for 8 p.m.

The union, representing 450 operating trainmen in two locals, is seeking an increase in their mileage rates to 20 miles an hour from 12.5 miles.

This would boost their guaranteed hourly rate to \$4.81 from \$4.01 an hour.

The committee set the strike deadline Wednesday after rejecting the proposed establishment of a one-man

industrial inquiry commission to probe wage parity with rail workers at B.C. Hydro.

Four shopcraft unions at BCR Tuesday accepted a government-appointed commission, plus an interim 10-per cent wage increase.

The same offer was made to the UTU.

However, committee chairman, Albert Beckman, said the inquiry is "a little bit too late for us" and the negotiating committee is only interested in talking wages now.

"Because of the mileage rates, we're in a lot worse position than the shopcraft unions," he said.

Charred Cattle Ranch

Ruined, the charred remains are all farmer Bob Jackson has left after a fire raced through 20,000 acres of timber and destroyed 20 homes in Salmon Arm. Jackson saved his cattle but will be forced to sell them as there is no feed or pasture.



RAIL CHARGES DROPPED

VANCOUVER (CP) — The federal justice department withdrew Wednesday charges against six Vancouver-area railway workers who had been charged with violating Parliament's back-to-work order.

The charges had been laid under Section 115 of the Criminal Code. It was alleged the men committed an offence by contravening the Maintenance of Railway Operations Act, passed by the special session of Parliament to require railway workers to work.

Justice department lawyer Norman Mullins said he made

the decision to drop the charges following a two-hour meeting with the union's legal counsel.

"I received a good deal of information about the defences they were preparing and am convinced we couldn't prove the charges," he said.

Processing of the charges was halted when the railway workers in British Columbia reported to work Monday night.

The 600 men at the joint council of railway unions meeting Monday said they would return under work-to-rule conditions, but would walk off in union if "so much as a 10-cent fine" was levied against the six men.

Scared To Death By Bombs

LONDON (UPI) — A coroner's jury ruled today a 54-year-old BBC messenger committed suicide because he was terrified of carrying a letter bomb from the Irish Republican Army.

Thomas Eddington was a messenger at the British Broadcasting Corp. whose job it was to sort incoming mail. Three weeks ago when extremists began mailing letter bombs to targets in London, Washington and Paris, Eddington was frightened to death.

He took a day off, "sick and shaky," his wife Jane told the inquest.

"He watched the television news and kept calling me over and saying, 'there's another one!'"

At the end of the long weekend, Eddington's daughter testified, Eddington couldn't face it. He went into the bathroom and cut his throat. The daughter found him.

"As I went with him into the ambulance," she testified, "the last words he said were: 'Letter bombs. Letter bombs.'"

Beef Stolen

FREDERICK, Md. (AP) — A tractor-trailer truck loaded with 37,000 pounds of beef worth about \$45,000 was stolen from a truck stop Tuesday, police said. They said the driver of the truck was sleeping inside the truck stop when the vehicle was taken.

\$300 FINE FOLLOWS FATAL BOAT MISHAP

A man was fined \$300 in Ganges provincial court Wednesday after he was convicted of operating a boat dangerously.

Fred J. Stern, 23, of Ganges was charged after an incident April 20 in which Gregory Lust of Ganges, fell out of a boat and drowned. His body was never recovered.

Stern was the operator of a 12-foot boat carrying seven people and supplies when the mishap occurred off North Secretary Island.

Metis Asking Ottawa For 40,000 Homes

OTTAWA (CP) — The Native Council of Canada asked the federal government Wednesday to embark immediately on a five-year program to provide up to 40,000 homes for Metis and non-status Indians.

In a brief presented to Urban Affairs Minister Ron Basford, the council said only such a massive multi-million dollar program "will eliminate the national disgrace that native housing represents in Canada."

At Mr. Basford's request, the meeting was closed to reporters.

Drug Traffic Terms Hiked

EDMONTON (CP) — Patricia Richardson, 20, and Daniel Wayne Wood, 19, were each given an additional three years imprisonment Tuesday when the Crown appealed earlier sentences for trafficking in heroin.

The Edmonton pair were convicted in Alberta Supreme Court Jan. 31 with Richardson sentenced to three years and Wood to four years.

The appellate division of the Supreme Court agreed with the Crown argument that the original sentences did not consider the deterrent effect on others of a longer sentence.

The council, which represents about 500,000 non-status Indians and Metis, said that while the "subhuman housing" of its members was not new, "it is nonetheless a genuine national emergency."

Only the federal government had the resources to solve the problem, said the brief, presented by council president Tony Belcourt.

To see that these people were properly housed, the brief said, would take a combination of outright grants and long-term interest-free loans to native organizations in all provinces and territories.

"If special legislation is required to make this possible, then we think that your administration should seek it," said the brief.

Opium for Aid, U.S. Informed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The chairman of a House of Representatives subcommittee on narcotics says Burmese rebels have offered to destroy enough illicit opium to end export of the drug from Southeast Asia.

Representative Lester Wolff (Dem. N.Y.) said he has relayed to the state department the offer made to him during his recent fact-finding tour of Southeast Asia.

In return for destroying the opium, the rebels said foreign organizations "interested in an end to the opium trade will be expected to use their influence to persuade the government of Burma to return to the legal constitution."

Wolff said the rebels offered to destroy 400 tons of opium, used to make heroin. If the 400 tons were used to make heroin, it would yield 40 tons of the narcotic. In comparison, the federal government

seized 832 pounds of heroin in 1972.

In an interview, Wolff said an official of the drug enforcement administration told him that if 400 tons of opium were destroyed it would end the shipment from Southeast Asia of the narcotic.

Wolff said he informed U.S. officials in Thailand of the offer and also gave the offer to the state department when he returned to Washington.

He said he has not yet received a response from the state department.

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structions, and now the firm has launched legal action against the city. Picture shows the site looking toward downtown area, with street at left and Capital Iron buildings in the background. (Bill Halkett photo.)

City Sued Over Permit Cancellation

By PAUL MOSS
Times Staff

A paving company is taking legal action against Mayor Peter Pollen, the city of Victoria and three city engineering officials over the city's cancellation of a building permit for a proposed \$300,000 asphalt paving plant on Store Street.

Lawyer Michael Hutchison, representing the plaintiffs, OK Paving Ltd. and OK Trucking Ltd., said Wednesday the delay caused by revocation of the permit has involved his clients in "massive expenditure."

"It is conceivable that the damages could exceed \$200,000," he said.

The writ filed in B.C. Supreme Court late Tuesday was formally served Wednesday morning on the corporation of the city of Victoria,

city engineer James Garnett, deputy city engineer Bill Jorgensen and building inspector Alex James.

A copy could not be served on Pollen, who is attending the Union of B.C. Municipalities convention in Prince George.

If the city decides to defend the action there could be a delay of up to a year before the case comes to trial, Hutchison said, but meanwhile "we are prepared to discuss the matter with the city."

Tory Won't 'Wed'

Oak Bay MLA G. Scott Wallace said today an alliance between Social Credit and Progressive Conservative parties is unlikely because the Socreds "have not changed enough."

"The main reason I left the (Socred) party originally was because of the way it operated under the leadership of W.A.C. Bennett," Wallace said.

"If Bill Bennett is a replica of his father in his attitude to the caucus, the party and his leadership," the Tory MLA said, "there's no way there'll be an alliance."

The suggestion of political fusion of the parties came up during the recent South Okanagan byelection campaign when Tory leader Derril Warren promoted the possibility of merger as part of his platform.

President of the B.C. Conservative Association, Peter Hyndman renewed the subject Wednesday when he said in a press release there are "lots of good reasons for an alliance."

Hyndman suggested the fall session of the legislature would be a good time for the 10 Socred members and two Conservative members to discuss the possibility of merger.

Despite Hyndman's statement, Wallace said no formal talks have been set up with the Socreds and the Tories themselves have not officially discussed any merger.

Social Credit party whip Ed Smith said today although there's been no formal approach to talks made among the three opposition parties, Socreds would be willing to talk to any free enterprise party about the possibility of a merger or coalition.

"We will be willing to meet with anyone to discuss informally the direction of the whole free enterprise system in B.C."

Smith said it will be necessary for a majority of voter support to fall behind one party in order for the NDP government to be defeated.

Asked about the nature of possible negotiations between the Socreds and the Tories, Smith said there will be no room for "bargaining power" to be wielded by either side in the talks.

"The people don't want us to play political games," he said. "They want to see a return of free enterprise government in B.C."

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SECOND SECTION

Sharp Increase at UVic

About 6,000 students are expected to have registered at the University of Victoria when late registration ends Friday, president Hugh Farquhar told a Senate meeting Wednesday.

"It's a considerable increase over last year's figure and most encouraging," Farquhar said.

Last year's December totals show a total of 5,341 students at the university after classes settled.

First-year student numbers show an increase of 115 registered and an anticipated increase of 101 students is expected in second year. Third year student population has decreased by about 112 and fourth year shows almost the same enrolment as last year, he said.

Farquhar said the "turn-around" in student enrolment — which has been on a steady decline during the past few years — could cause "real complications."



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"The whole business of not knowing totals until the first day of classes... is a great hardship for everybody."

He said pre-registration was one of the alternatives that may be considered.

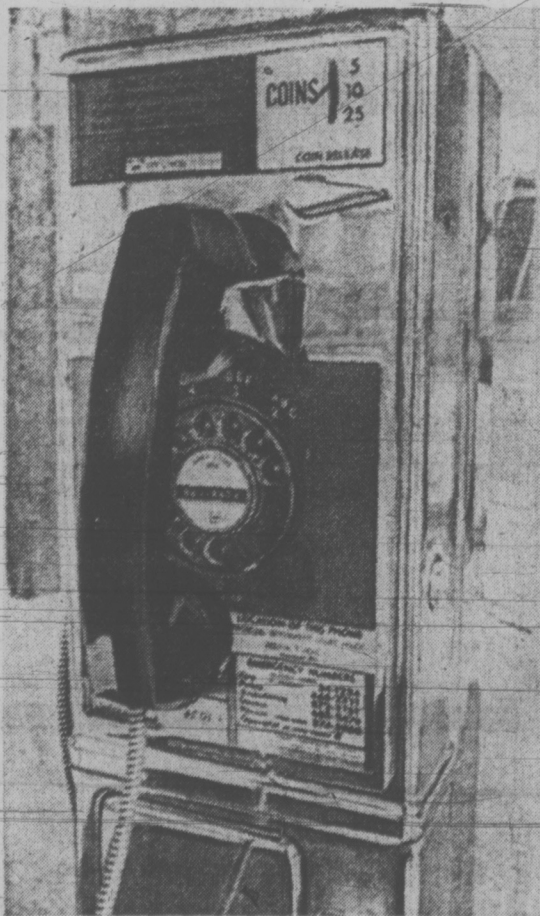
Dr. M. J. Ashwood-Smith, acting head of the department of biology, said he faced a particularly confusing situation. Applications to his department were startlingly high, but not a true indication of registration.

Enrolment in that department actually fell by 80 students.

"If nothing is done I'll bring it up formally at the next Senate meeting."

"We ought to have better methods for planning than making guesses and assumptions. It isn't the way to make plans."

Tough New Pay Phones Cut Vandal's Incentive



New pay telephones, designed to foil thieves, could be installed in Victoria within a year if tests in Vancouver prove successful.

A B.C. Telephone spokesman said today 10 of the new machines were installed in Vancouver in mid-August on a 60-day trial basis.

"So far we've had no trouble at all," he said, "and if the trial proves successful we could see the where within a year."

The pay telephones are designed with case-hardened steel and theft-foiling mechanisms.

A unique feature is the single coin slot that takes nickels, dimes and quarters. They have stronger switch hooks and weigh 52 lbs. instead of the standard 21 lbs.

"It has an electronically controlled device," the spokesman explained, "which puts the coins into the correct slot and automatically rejects slugs and other matter."

He said some machines are already in the Okanagan area and once the Vancouver trial is completed, others will be installed throughout the province.

The spokesman said thefts from pay telephones have decreased in the Victoria area, but a major problem is the jamming of the machines by bent coins.

Ask The Times

Q. In the recent byelection in South Okanagan, William Bennett's margin over NDP candidate Brian McIvor was 3,336 votes. What was W.A.C. Bennett's margin of victory in the last provincial election?

A. The former premier polled 6,062 votes more than NDP candidate Frank Snowsell.

Q. Where can I write to Ted Neeley, the star of Jesus Christ Superstar? H.H.

A. Universal Studio, Universal City, Los Angeles, California, or Universal Films Canada, MCA Building, 2450 Victoria Park Ave., Willowdale, 425 Ontario.

Public Kept From Joining Education Study Group

University of Victoria senate Wednesday decided against including community representatives on the newly-approved senate committee on continuing education.

Instead, two lay senators responsible for community feedback will be appointed to the committee.

Dr. C. H. Butler, himself a lay senator, felt there should be more public input in the continuing education division.

"The committee should be a vehicle through which the community pressures could be brought to bear on the senate," he said.

"And that won't be achieved by appointing a couple of lay senate members (to the committee)."

He asked that the senate

committee on committees "rethink" its proposal which originally provided for five faculty members from education, fine arts, humanities, science and social science and nine additional members.

Also suggested was the appointment of an advisory committee where representatives of the professional groups in the community could meet and make their opinions known.

Senator Sam Macey, of the UVic English department, agreed.

"This committee should have a sub-committee to bring in information from the outside," he said.

The chairman of the senate committee on committees, Dr. A. D. Kirk, however, said

that proposal might turn out to be "something of a red herring."

"Community feedback operates on a daily basis now," he said.

Asked for his reaction to the discussion, continuing education director Dr. Laurence Devlin requested that some form of committee be approved as soon as possible.

"It could be argued under the Universities Act that we have been negligent in not having community involvement," but, "I hope at least we might move the matter forward as soon as possible."

The senate decided to reduce to one the representatives from the arts and science faculties and provide for two lay senators.

Advance Signals At Wilson

A potential road hazard for motorists in Victoria West will be improved in the near future with installation of advance warning signals at the Wilson Street rail crossing on the E and N line.

City officials said Wednesday flashing lights and a "ding ding" sound alarm system, similar to the Esquimalt Road signals, will be installed shortly at a total cost of about \$17,000, of which the city will pay 12.5 per cent.

Drivers travelling that route have to contend with the pronounced switchback contours of Wilson in the area of the rail crossing, and a limited view of the westerly rail approach.

Although there are the usual stop signs, city traffic engineer Dave Campbell says the infrequency of trains breeds a degree of carelessness.



NO FLATBED of roses is chore facing tow-truck operators planning to haul flatbed trailer-truck out of weeds off Malahat highway near Bamberton. Truck driver Rich Bennett of Cobble Hill told police he swerved to avoid a car blocking the road

—striking a car parked at the side of the road and landing in the bush. Neither Bennett nor the occupant of the parked car — Alexander Brown of Nanaimo — were seriously hurt. Damage to car and truck is estimated at \$1,000 and \$7,000.

Robinson Challenges Dear

Sidney alderman Fred Robinson will run against Mayor Stan Dear in November's mayoralty contest.

Robinson, elected in 1971, said today he will resign from council Sept. 30 — midway through his second term as alderman — to seek the mayor's job.

He is the first announced mayoralty candidate for the Nov. 17 elections.

Robinson said he is unsatisfied with his position as alderman and chairman of the fi-

nance committee and he disagrees with Mayor Dear on many issues.

"I feel that I haven't been given an opportunity to use my capabilities," he said, adding that he was chairman of Oak Bay Council's public works committee for eight years of his 14 years on council.

"The mayor and I have never seen eye to eye on many issues," he said. "I think the mayor is a fine chap, but he has been subject to outside influences that have led him to probably not act in the best interests of Sidney taxpayers."

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Farms, Labor Throne Speech Priorities

Legislation to aid the province's agricultural industries and to improve the climate of labor-management negotiations will highlight government action in the legislature for the fall session which opened today.

The speech from the throne, read in the legislative chamber by Lieutenant-Governor Walter Owen, as usual contains little detail, on specifics of what the NDP government intends to do.

At a morning press conference today, Premier Barrett was deliberately vague about legislation to be introduced in

the House, saying it would be "incorrect" of him to give details until the other MLAs have access to the information.

From the throne speech and from Barrett's comments this morning, the following is a list of what to expect this fall:

A package of legislation designed to stabilize farm income, control prices of farm products at the market place, encourage secondary agricultural industries and to provide debt protection for family farms under distress circumstances.

A new "labor code" intended to set up an improved framework of collective bar-

gaining and dispute settlement, incorporating some "completely new" concepts and allowing for the sanctity of individual religious beliefs.

Establishment of full departments of consumer affairs and housing with ministers without portfolio Phyllis Young and Lorne Nicolson elevated to full cabinet status.

Legislation to provide the province's 32,000 civil servants with collective bargaining rights for the first time will be reintroduced and will include the right to strike.

Mining legislation passed at the spring session will be clarified and fee schedules

and royalty rates will be specified.

A three-day seminar involving internationally-renowned experts in the field of nuclear power will be held in B.C. in order to give the government advice in dealing with future energy needs in the province.

Certain matters which the government had said in the past were priority items will not be dealt with this session, however. Some of them, Barrett said, will be handled in the spring session of 1974.

These include removal of the education tax from property, legislation to allow individuals to sue the provincial

government and measures to require public and elected officials to disclose their financial interests.

A provincial Bill of Rights, described by Barrett in last spring's session as a priority item but never introduced, is "still on the agenda," Barrett said today. He would not be pinned down, however, on the timing of the introduction of a Bill of Rights or of another NDP campaign promise, a provincial ombudsman.

Regarding the labor legislation to be introduced, the government has gone on record as saying amendments to three major acts — Labor Relations Act, Trade Unions Act

and Mediation Services Act will be introduced.

The speech from the throne, written by Barrett, said:

"Industrial relations is essentially a term descriptive of human relations in the work environment. Healthy co-operative human relations cannot be built on punitive concepts, distrust, or an unyielding bureaucracy, and remain compatible with a free society."

Regarding agriculture, Barrett said in the speech that "positive measures" must be taken by the government to strengthen and expand the food industry, particularly in face of the "very real prob-

lems of world food shortages and rising food costs, coupled with high investment costs and low farm income."

"The significance of the B.C. agriculture and food industry to the ever-changing economy of this province cannot be overlooked, and action must be prompt to ease the problems involved," the speech said.

The legislature's agriculture committee has been conducting hearings all over the province throughout this summer, listening to farmers' problems. The committee's recommendations are expected to play a major role in the legis-

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Big Fire Held

Times News Services

SALMON ARM—A slash fire which burned up to 40 homes and razed more than 20,000 acres of land was brought under control at noon today.

But forestry officials say it will be two or three days before it can be considered completely under control.

More than 200 men remained on the front line along with several dozen pieces of heavy equipment.

In Salmon Arm some of those who lost property expressed bitterness with the forest service for allowing a private company, Federated Co-operatives, a permit for slash burning in the area.

That burning was said to be responsible for the start of what has become the largest forest fire in the province this year (See picture on page 3).

The government declared the region a disaster area Wednesday and took over organization of the fire fighting operations and civil defence work.

An emergency headquarters has been established in the town and is providing food and arranging lodging for homeless.

Their problem should be eased by Friday as the government is sending in mobile homes to be used until permanent quarters can be arranged.

Damage estimates were unavailable, but observers said they could run into the millions of dollars. Many cattle

victims will receive 100 per cent compensation from the provincial disaster fund, Resources Minister Bob Williams promised Wednesday.

"We don't, at this stage, want to argue about liability or responsibility," he said, adding that forest service officials will conduct a detailed investigation "in terms of our being satisfied a proper job was done by everyone concerned."

The blaze began without warning Tuesday afternoon. It sent out three fingers of flame across ridges in the Fly Hills area about six miles from the town of 2,000. The fires moved so quickly firefighters were unable to contain them.

Isamu Ujimoto was one of the lucky ones.

He left his home Tuesday night and the last he saw of it, it was surrounded by a wall of flame.

But when he returned Wednesday he found his home untouched — although trees, his garage and a doghouse just a few feet from the house were destroyed.



WHEN CAN 64 equal 162.56? When height of teacher Jana Roberts is converted from inches to centimetres, that's when. Kevin Cranmer wields the tape as Grade 2 class at Blanshard elementary takes the measure of the metric system. Helping is Leighanne Nelson while Gloria Eng and Nora Caton look on. (Bill Halkett photo.)

Cabinet Named By Chile Junta

Times News Services

SANTIAGO — The Chilean armed forces have formally assumed power on their own terms and today appeared ready to crush the last resistance to their coup which resulted in the death of President Salvador Allende.

However, shortly before noon today, there were reports of an outbreak of machinegun and artillery fire in

the neighborhood of the defence ministry and partially destroyed presidential palace.

It was not immediately known who the combatants were, or what the target was.

Wednesday night, while troops patrolled the capital under orders to shoot resistors on sight, the military junta appointed a new national cabinet.

The cabinet members swore to uphold the principles of the junta and not of the constitution under which Allende ruled during three years of left-wing government.

Gen. Augusto Pinochet Maramba, a 56-year-old artillery officer, is president of the four-man junta. He was appointed commander-in-chief of the army by Allende two weeks before the coup.

The armed forces, who rose against the 65-year-old Marxist president Tuesday, reported Wednesday night that soldiers had been in action in at least 15 centres in the capital.

They met with fierce resistance as they moved in to smash pockets of pro-Allende snipers, and workers were still reported holding out late

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Most Active Stocks

Here are the 2 p.m. prices on the most active stocks on the Vancouver Stock Exchange.

For earlier prices, see Page 12.

INDUSTRIALS		
	Close	Ch/g
Int. Visual	.31	+0.04
Thermo Plex	1.10	+0.05
EDP	.33	+0.01
OILS		
Gulveston	1.30	+0.01
Vargas	.17	+0.02
Seneca	1.35	+0.10
MINES		
Tay River	.39	+0.01
Silver Standard	2.40	+0.01
Rackla	.57	+0.03
Brendon	.33	+0.02
Cop-Ex	.40	+0.03
Fosco	.67	+0.01

By BRIAN BUTTERS

Times Staff

The government-owned Insurance Corporation of B.C. is purchasing a three-acre block of land on Douglas Street to use as a drive-in claim centre and as office quarters for some of the corporation's Island-based staff.

The site is the Victoria headquarters of Johnston Terminals Ltd. and runs for one block between the Canadian National Railway tracks and Douglas Street, bordered on the south by Kelvin and on the north by Ardserier.

The firm is building a new

22-Year Record Jump in Costs

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada suffered its largest monthly rise in living costs in more than 22 years in August, a leap of 1.3 per cent (an annual rate of 15.6 per cent). The increase was certain to heighten criticism of Prime Minister Trudeau's proposals to combat inflation.

The August increase was led by a 3.2 per cent boost in food costs, the largest in that category in 13 months.

Statistics Canada, which reported the figures, said the overall 1.3 per cent hike in living costs was the steepest since February, 1951, during the Korean War.

The latest hike pushed living costs up 8.3 per cent above a year earlier, also the steepest annual rise since 1951.

"Sharply increased meat, poultry and egg prices at the beginning of August were major contributors to the considerably larger than usual rise in the latest month's index, but all other main elements, except fresh produce, also moved up," Statistics Canada said.

Pork prices alone rose 15.4 per cent for the month, it added.

In addition to the sharp food price hikes there were increases of 1.5 per cent for transportation, eight-tenths of one per cent for health and personal care, five-tenths of one per cent for housing and one tenth for clothing. Only recreation costs were unchanged.

The overall rise pushed the consumer index up to 153.0 from 151.0 in July, meaning that typical living costs priced at \$151 per week in July cost \$2 more in August and \$11.30 more than a year earlier.

GROCERIES UP

Grocery prices, biggest factor in current inflation, were up 16.2 per cent over the year. There have been indications that some food prices have moderated since the period of the government's August price survey.

The past year's 8.3 per cent rise in overall living costs is the sharpest since the 10.6 per cent recorded in 1951.

Since then, the worst inflationary years in Canada have been a 4.8-per-cent rise in 1972, 4.5 per cent in 1969 and 4.3 per cent in 1968.

"Led by a one-month rise of 15.4 per cent in the retail price of pork, the meat, fish and poultry index climbed 7.9 per cent between July and August and stood 28.3 per cent above its level of 12 months earlier," Statistics Canada said.

"Beef prices advanced 5.3 per cent in the latest month and 26.5 per cent since August, 1972," it added.

"Poultry prices likewise climbed 7.6 per cent between July and August and nearly 40 per cent over the year," the report said.

"Canned salmon and tuna quotations were about six per cent higher in the latest month, registering increases of 15 per cent and 31 per cent

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Bank Money Drying Up

By AL FORREST
Times Staff

Funds for development are beginning to dry up in Victoria despite another round of interest rate increases designed to attract money to lending firms.

Some banks have almost gone out of the mortgage business because cash supplies are just about-depleted in that field.

Large commercial borrowers are being asked to limit their requests and speculative ventures are being told there is no money available.

The tightening money supply comes at a time of continuing increases in interest rates.

On Monday four major banks will increase their prime lending rate to 9 per cent from 8.25 per cent and the other banks are expected to do the same.

The Bank of Canada today raised its lending rate to the banks to 7.5 per cent from 7 per cent.

The mortgage interest rate, currently 10 per cent to 10.25 per cent, is likely to rise to 10.5 to 10.75 per cent before the end of October.

There is a growing feeling

interest rates may be nearing their peak.

In an effort to attract funds, banks and trust companies are raising their deposit rates effective today. In some cases the increases are retroactive to Sept. 1.

Some banks have increased 30 day deposit rates to 6.75 per cent from 6.25 per cent. The rate had been 5.75 per cent in July.

The search for short-term funds has created some anomalies in the deposit interest rates.

Several trust companies are offering 8.75 per cent interest for funds on deposit between three and six months and are paying only 8.5 per cent for full-year deposits.

Trust companies say they have an adequate supply of funds for mortgages but are restricting commercial loans.

Both banks and trust companies report the demand for loans is high despite the interest rates, which are at record levels.

Previous high-rate for prime loans, going to 9 per cent on Monday, was 8.5 per cent during the tight money period in 1969-70.

Loans of up to \$200,000 for small businessmen, a special category created by Parliament, will rise one-quarter to 8-8.5 per cent.

ISRAELIS CLAIM 13 ARAB JETS

TEL AVIV (Reuters) — Israeli and Syrian jets fought a major air battle over the Mediterranean today and Israel said 13 Syrian MiG-21 fighter planes had been shot down with one Israeli plane hit.

An Israeli army spokesman said the dogfight occurred at noon, and that the pilot of the Israeli plane hit was recovered from the sea after parachuting.

Syria, however, through diplomats in Beirut said only two of their fighters were downed.

Observers in Tel Aviv said if the first reports of the battle were true, it would be the biggest air conflict in the region since the 1967 Middle East war.

FARQUHAR RESIGNS

University of Victoria president Hugh Farquhar announced today his intention to resign.

He told a meeting of faculty and administration the "board of governors is proceeding with the establishment of a committee to bring in nominations for president."

Farquhar said his decision was not based on any pressure or any unhappiness.

He took over the presidency of the university three years ago.

He said the university is on the threshold of the most exciting growth and development in history.

NEWS BRIEFS

Hashish Haul — 1,708 Pounds

MONTREAL (CP) — Three men were charged Wednesday with importing narcotics after RCMP made the biggest single hashish seizure in Canadian history — 1,708 pounds.

Bomb in Chelsea

LONDON (UPI) — A bomb blast ripped through a building housing three British servicemen's associations in London's Chelsea district Wednesday night, shattering windows and injuring five policemen.

U.S. Tax Hike Eyed

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Nixon is considering asking Congress for a temporary tax increase of up to 10 per cent — refundable later — as a tool to fight U.S. inflation.

Britain in Red

LONDON (AP) — Britain suffered a loss of \$476.4 million in its trade with the rest of the world in August, the government announced today.

Air Embargo

TORONTO (CP) — Air Canada has announced a 24-hour embargo on air freight to all Canadian destinations from Toronto, effective midnight Wednesday night to enable the airline to clear a backlog of freight diverted to it during the rail strike.

INSURANCE CHOICE DEMANDED BY UBCM

PRINCE GEORGE (CP) — Delegates to the annual Union of B.C. Municipalities convention here unanimously passed a resolution calling on the government to allow competitive bidding for general, fire and liability insurance. (See also Page 27.)

Under the Insurance Corporation of B.C. Act municipalities, corporations and boards that get government grants or government guaranteed loans must apply to the ICBC for insurance.

The motion put by the UBCM's executive said public bodies and industry have found it cheaper to buy insurance on a "sealed bid tender basis."